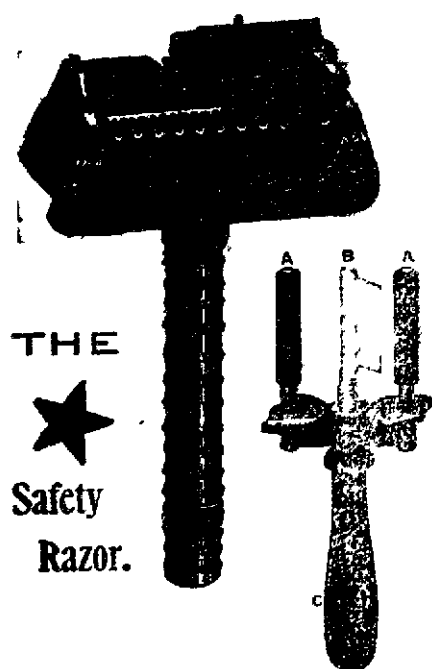




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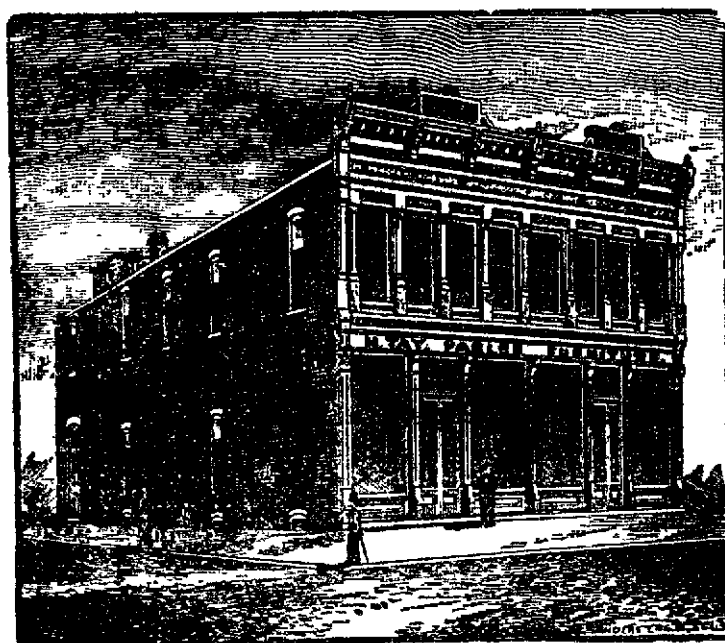
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MONDAY, SEPT. 17, 1894.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
HENRY WULF, of Cook county.
State Superintendent of Public Instruction,
S. M. INGLIS, of Jackson county.
Trustees University of Illinois,
MRS. LUCY FLOWER, of Cook county.
S. A. BULLARD, of Sangamon county.
ALEX. MCLEAN, of McDonough county.
For Congress,
MAJOR J. A. CONNOLLY,
State Senator,
M. F. KANAN, of Mason County
Representatives,
W. G. COCHRAN, of Monticue County,
JAMES E. SHARROCK, of Christian County.
County Judge,
WILLIAM L. HAMMER.
County Treasurer,
CHARLES H. PATTERSON.
County Clerk,
JAMES M. DODD.
Sheriff,
JERRY P. NICHOLSON.
County Superintendent of Schools,
JOHN G. KELLER.

The hippodrome and Hopkins' choice
to-morrow.

That "bimetallist of bimetallists," Mac-
Veagh, will tell us all about it to-mor-
row.

To-morrow will be Democratic day in
Decatur. Republican day will be Nov.
6, 1894.

The Democrats thought they wanted
a change in 1892. They are now certain
they want a change.

We will hear all about that "act of per-
fidy and dishonor" as it represents the
"communism of pelf" to-morrow.

The Republican club league will meet
in Springfield Oct. 1, 1894, and the prin-
cipal address will be delivered by Gov.
McKinley.

WILLIE BRECKINRIDGE was beaten at
the primaries Saturday but he was the
choice of nearly one-half the Democrats
of the Ashland district.

The Democratic war on a trust ceases
the moment a trust contributes to the
Democratic campaign fund as the
whiskey trust and sugar trust did.

The Decatur Review has gone to
some trouble to tell its readers that the
Republicans were longer in passing the
McKinley bill than the Democrats have
been in passing the act of perfidy and
dishonor. But it failed to tell its readers
that the McKinley committee on ways
and means spent months when it was
arranging its schedules hearing from
farmers, workmen and manufac-
turers as to the effect of any changes in
the schedules upon wages and the price
of products. The Democratic commit-
tee denied hearings to those people and
ignored their petitions. The Review
also failed to tell its readers that the
consideration of the McKinley bill did
not prostrate or in any way affect busi-
ness, because the business men of this
country knew that committee and that
congress would not legislate against the
business interests, the labor interests
and the prosperity of the country. The
reverse of this was true when the Dem-
ocrats were legislating on the tariff.
The country knew it was legislating
against the prosperity of the country
and business stood still and waited to
see how much it would be hurt. It
would have made no difference with the
business of the country had the Republi-
cans consumed a year in arranging
and passing a tariff bill, but on the
other hand every hour consumed by the
Democrats in tinkering with a subject
they knew nothing about was death to
the business of the country. These are
indisputable facts worth considering—
facts which any honest newspaper
should not try to hide when descending
on the late tariff legislation.

What Will They Say.

A special effort has been made to get a
large crowd of Democrats together in
Decatur to-morrow. They are to be
brought from Chicago and other parts
of the state and MacVeagh, who bought
a nomination for state senator, will pay
the freight. They will come to bolster
up the waning chances for Springer's
re-election and if possible encourage
Democratic voters to support the Demo-
cratic candidate for state senator, and
also, to aid the Democratic candidate
for county judge. This is to be done in
two ways, first, by having a large meet-
ing to make the people believe that there
is great enthusiasm in the ranks of the
Democratic party, and second, to en-
courage Democracy by some speeches.
The question is, what will they say?
In 1892 the Democratic campaigners
told the people they wanted a
change because the Republican lead-
ers were extravagant in the expenditure of
public funds; that the tariff was robbery;
that it was a tax which took from the
pockets of the laboring man and the far-
mer, their hard earned money and put it
into the pockets of the manufacturers;
that if the Democratic party were re-

turned to power it would give the country
prosperity, far beyond anything then en-
joyed, by ripping up protection root and
branch.

The Democratic party came to power
and not one of these things promised
were realized as the result of that
change. The entire catalogue of accom-
plishes have proved an abortion and the
country has suffered a period of depres-
sion such as was never before known,
and they are coming before the people,
in spite of the fact that Grover Cleve-
land himself said that if the senate tariff
bill became a law the party could not
face the people as it was an act of perfidy
and dishonor, full of infamous discrimi-
nations. What will they say?

When Cleveland was inaugurated he
failed to call congress in special session
to relieve the people from the terrible
robbery of tariff taxation, they howled so
loudly about in the campaign of 1892.
This failure to convene congress was an
admission that they did not believe what
they told the people about the tariff in
the campaign which resulted in Cleve-
land's election. If it did not amount to
such an admission, then it amounted to
an act of "perfidy and dishonor" infi-
nitely more reprehensible than the pres-
ent tariff law. If the people were being
robbed they were entitled to immediate
relief.

Instead of calling congress together at
once to relieve the people from tariff
taxation the president called congress
in special session to repeal the silver
purchase provision of the Sherman act.
When congress assembled there was
great business prostration, and Mr.
Cleveland, and the Democratic press,
and Democratic campaigners, declared
that the entire trouble was due to the
silver act, and that as soon as it should
be repealed business would again be re-
sumed. The act was repealed, but busi-
ness did not resume. It was then that
these campaigners first discovered that
it was not the silver act or the
tariff act that was troubling the
country, but the return of the
Democratic party to power with its
threats to revolutionize the conditions
upon which business was founded. But
instead of confessing that fact these
Democratic campaigners began to assert
that the entire trouble was due to bad
Republican legislation and they have
kept that up ever since. Will the hip-
podrome tell this story to the people in
Decatur to-morrow? If they do, they
should explain why they did not tell the
people of this in 1892. They should ex-
plain if this is true, why they did not at
once call congress together after the in-
auguration and repeal these laws and
make better ones instead of deceiving
the people by assuming that it was the
purchase of silver which troubled the
country, and thus allowing the people to
suffer on.

The facts are the campaigners wanted
a change in 1892 and they got it; but
they did not expect that the result of
that change would be so disastrous to
the country. They expected business
would go along about as usual. They
were appalled to see prosperity shrink
before a Democratic victory. They de-
ceived the people to get in, and now
after they find they cannot conduct the
affairs of the government, they are try-
ing to deceive the people again, in order
that they may remain in power and take
their chances on something turning up
to save them. They wanted a change in
1892; but they did not want it half as
badly as they want a change in public
sentiment now. They are coming to
Decatur to-morrow to tell the people
anything they think will change the
faces of those people who have become
disgusted with Democratic stupidity, to-
ward the Democratic party.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO ss.
LUCAS COUNTY,
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he
is the senior partner of the firm of F. J.
Cheney & Co., doing business in the city
of Toledo, county and state aforesaid,
and that said firm will pay the sum of
ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each
and every case of CATARRH that can not
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Sworn to before me and subscribed in
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First Class Mile Track.

PROGRAMME.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9.

2:29 Trot \$300
2:16 Pace 300
One Mile Novelty Running 150
First at 1/4 mile, \$25; at 1/2 mile, \$50; at 1 mile, \$75.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10.

2:21 Pace \$300
2:19 Trot 300
5-8 Mile Dash—Running, ... 100

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11.

2:24 Trot \$300
Free-for-all Pace 400
One mile dash—Running 125
1/4 mile dash—Running, (2-year olds,) 100

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12.

2:28 Pace \$300
Free-for-all Trot 400
7 Furlongs dash—Running 100
5 " " " (Consolation

to horses that have started and
won no money. No Entrance Fee charged 100

Bicycle Races Saturday, Oct. 13.

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..... mile, \$25; at 1/2 mile, \$50; at 1 mile, \$75.

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..... \$300
..... 300
Dash—Running..... 100

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11.

..... \$300
..... 400
Dash—Running..... 125
..... Running, (2-year olds,) 100

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12.

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..... 400
Dash—Running..... 100
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LOCAL NEWS.

Get your tickets for Ingalls.
FINE perfumes at Irwin's drug store.
Buck's Steel Ranges at Griswold's.
DELICIOUS pies at the Co-operative
Woman's Exchange.

FRESH oysters at Wood's, 142 Mer-
chant street. Try them.

BEST Cakes in the world at Co-opera-
tive Woman's Exchange.

DELICIOUS home-made bread at Co-
operative Woman's exchange.

LARGEST and best line of syringes in
the city at I. N. Irwin & Co.'s.

M. L. DZOK has sold the Davis farm
near Bethany to J. A. Cole for \$6,000.

BICYCLES to RENT, DODD & SANNER
CO., 153 Merchant St. apr18-dtd

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

A few Democrats will be in Decatur
to-morrow to wonder what they are here
for.

Go to Henry Bros' bakery for all
kinds of cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtd

CALL for the Little Rose and Bouquet
cigars. They are the leading favorites
in the city.

Moore's Air-Tight Heaters at
Griswold's.

THIS afternoon and to-night candidate
Crawford is to speak for the Populists
at Riverside park. Other candidates
will be present.

Mrs. McCoy has returned from the
city, having attended the Fall Openings
and made selections of Millinery and
Novelties for our fall trade. 15-23

SEE those superb Haines Upright
pianos and Packard organs. They are
on sale only at the C. B. Prescott music
house. Prices low.

HEAD Miss Julia F. Lee, the gifted
elocutionist, at the tabernacle again to-
night. Admission only 15 cents. Pro-
ceeds go to the Y. P. S. C. E.

REMEMBER that the Wabash R. R. is
the only one that offers you choice of
two trains to Chicago at the cheap rates
next Saturday and Sunday. 11-45

THE Prohibitionists are holding a
meeting at Maroa to-day with Dr. Kel-
logg and A. F. Smith as speakers. Prof.
Van DeMark will furnish campaign
songs. They go to Macon to-morrow.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit
Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your en-
tire living expenses. Call upon the man-
ager L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtd

NEARLY 300 performers will take part
in the great "Last Days of Pompeii"
performance at Springfield, Ill., State
Fair grounds, Sept. 24-29 and the grand
stand seats 10,000 spectators com-
fortably.

SATURDAY night the Si Perkins band
gave a high class serenade in front of
the Grand, and then a large audience
witnessed the performance, which was
well received.

THE annual convention of the Illinois
State Typographical Union will be held
in Bloomington October 2, and will con-
tinue for several days. Questions of
vital importance to the craft will be con-
sidered, and the meeting will be full of
interest. Delegates will be present from
all parts of the state.

HAVE you tried the choice meats sold
from the counter at C. J. Munson's, 403
North Main? The best selected cuts are
kept on hand and sold at very low
prices for cash. You save money and
get only the best.

In Sunday's Tribune Sullivan Bur-
gess, of this city, had a letter paying
tribute to the memory of his old friend Mr.
Newell, who died recently in Chicago. Mr.
Burgess was associated with Mr. Newell
in the long ago in engineering work,
and it was through Mr. N.'s cool judg-
ment in managing a boat that the lives
of a party of three, including Mr. B.
were saved.

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WELCOME LAWLER.

The New Commander-in-Chief
Tendered a Rousing Recep-
tion at His Home.

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 16.—Col. Tho-
s. G. Lawler, the newly-elected commander-
in-chief of the G. A. R., was given a tre-
mendous ovation on the occasion of his
return from the Pittsburg encampment.
Saturday evening, hundreds of veterans
from all over the state flocking to Rock-
ford to take part in the general jollifica-
tion. The special train on which he ar-
rived was met by 10,000 citizens, who ex-
ploded fireworks and cheered Illinois' fa-
vorite son until they were hoarse. Later
a big parade, participated in by G. A. R., military and civic organiza-
tions, took place, finishing at the court
house square, where addresses of wel-
come were delivered by Hon. Charles A.
Works and Major N. C. Warner, and a
very feeling response was made by
Commander-in-Chief Lawler. The cel-
ebration was by far the largest ever
seen in Northern Illinois.

Base Ball.

Saturday afternoon the game be-
tween the Iroquois and Oreana clubs
resulted in favor of the Decatur club—
15 to 10. There was a falling out be-
tween Umpire Munce and Pitcher
Becker and both struck, that is to say
they walked out, or quit the game,
Hughes doing the umpire act and Char-
ley Auer twirling the sphere for the vis-
itors. The players were: Decatur, Ken-
nedy, Gates, Brandon, Buchert, Bog-
gess, Nicholson, Seip, Bain and Payne;
Oreana—Morrison, Stroppe, Borchers,
Slater, Becker, Vest, Glens, Moothart
and Peralinger. The score:
Iroquois. 0 1 4 1 1 0 6 2 0—15
Oreana. 2 1 2 1 0 1 0 0 3—10
The Springfield-Decatur game is in
progress this afternoon at the park.

Those Wabash Robbers.

Detective Ballard, of the Wabash,
says he has great cause for congratula-
tion over the capture of the fellows who
robbed the ticket office in this city a few
weeks ago, Monday. He claims that the
chaps are a part of a regularly organized
gang that started out to loot the state,
having their headquarters in Chicago. Just
the Saturday before the robbery in this
city the same gang robbed the Wabash
ticket office at Sullivan, Ill., in the same
manner, and the same fellow that sent
the registered letter from this place con-
taining the booty to Chicago did the same
trick with the money they obtained from
the Sullivan job.—Spring-
field Telegram.

State Mission Meeting.

The Illinois State Missionary Society
of the Church of God is holding a meet-
ing at the Bethel. The officers are:
President—Mrs. Hattie E. Stare, De-
catur.
Vice-President—Rev. Mary Berk-
stresser, Buda.
Treasurer—Mrs. M. E. Braden, Bears-
dale.
Secretary—Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, War-
rensburg.

It is the purpose of the society to in-
clude foreign missions in its work, that
it may aid the general board in sending
three workers to India.

Run Over by F. D. & E. Train.

Last Wednesday afternoon as passen-
ger train No. 2, was coming in from the
east the engineer noticed a little boy
about eight years old on the track about
the middle of the Okaw river bridge. The
train was so near him that they could not
stop. The little fellow dropped
through the bridge, caught on one of the
ties, and swung directly over the
water. The train passed over him. The
engineer stopped the train and told the
section men who were near what had
happened. They went to look for the
boy and found that he had climbed back
upon the bridge. He gave his name as
Miller and said he lived south of town.—
Bethany Echo.

THE Psalms division of the Woman's
club has decided to change the work of
the class for this winter, and have sub-
stituted the Nineteenth century poets
for Shakespeare. The plan of study as
outlined for the first three months in-
cludes Matthew Arnold, William Morris
and Rossetti. These three men, repre-
sentatives of three schools of poetry and
philosophy, are made the center for the
study of the individual characters and
their missions in connection with the in-
fluence exerted over their contempora-
ries and the influence of the times. Miss
Mary Lewis has been appointed leader
for the study of Matthew Arnold, and
the works chosen for special study are
the "Scholar Gipsy," "Thyrsis," "Rugby
Chapel," "Tristram and Isolde" and the
essay, "Culture and Anarchy."

THERE were more people at the Chris-
tian Tabernacle Sunday night than
could gain entrance and many had to go
elsewhere or return home. The audience
was estimated at 1600. Nearly forty
stereoscopic views were displayed on the
canvas, showing the seven ages of man,
Niagara Falls, Old Testament scenes,
Brooklyn Bridge, the Drunkard's Re-
form, the Gambler's Career, and other
representations.

DECATUR Camp, No. 144, M. W. A. will
give an entertainment at the K. of P.
hall, over Linn & Scruggs' store, on the
second Friday night in November. C. J.
Bryan, Dr. A. L. Collins and E. J.
Steadler were appointed a committee to
make arrangements. The entertain-
ment will consist of music and recita-
tion, together with speaking by some of
the lead men in the order.

LADIES' WORK AT THE FAIR.

An Excellent Opportunity for the
Display of Handiwork.

As the time, September 24, for holding
the state fair draws near increased in-
terest is taken by every one, and more
especially by the citizens of Springfield
and Sangamon county, who feel a just
ambition to make the first fair held on
the new permanent grounds a great
success in every particular.

The new exposition building now ap-
proaching completion will enable the
managers of the departments, which will
be sheltered under its ample roof, to
offer superior advantages for the effec-
tive display of their respective exhibits.

The fine art annex on the north side
of the building will afford the best
hanging arrangements ever given to
state fair exhibitors in this department,
and the other department in which ladies
are especially interested will be no less
favorably situated. Mr. Dickerson, the
superintendent of class K, textile fabrics,
has made provision for a large and prais-
eworthy exhibit of needle work in all of
its phases, and no care will be spared to
render it both attractive and profitable.
In order to insure protection from dust,
elegant show cases have been procured,
in which the finer portions of this ex-
hibit will be placed, so that persons
owning handsome pieces of work need
not have hesitancy in taking them to the
fair, through fear of injury or loss. It
will be a matter of pride to the ladies
of this city and county to enter themselves
to make a large and creditable display
of work, and they will be amply repaid
by the encomiums which visitors from
other states and other portions of this
state will pay, if they leave Springfield
feeling that here, and here only is the
natural home of Illinois' great state fair.

HORSE AND BUGGY STOLEN.

Joshua Green and F. M. Malone
Lost Valuable Property.

Saturday night a thief got in his bur-
glarious work on the farms of Joshua
Green and F. M. Malone, northeast of
Decatur a few miles. From Mr. Green's
place was stolen a large bay horse, 7
years old, unshod, and from Mr. Malone
was taken a top buggy, with pale green
cushions, gray back, one bow in front
broken and repaired with iron. Mr. Ma-
lone also lost a set of single harness, new
breast strap and new tugs, balance of
harness old. A yellow fly-net was taken.
The police have been notified of the
robberies and every possible effort is be-
ing made to trace the thief and property.

"Miss Dynamite" To-Night.

The winning little star, Marie Jensen,
will be at the Opera House to-night for
one performance. "Miss Dynamite" is
the name of Glen McDonough's new
play, but that character in reality does
not appear in the piece. She is an
American, who is a reigning favorite in
the Paris music-halls and more or less
reference is made to her throughout the
play. But it has actually to do with a
lot of other Americans who are quar-
tered temporarily in the gay French
capital. The scenes are located in the
Grand Hotel in the apartments of "Miss
Dynamite" and in a typical student's
den of the Latin quarter. The atmos-
phere of these various places is faith-
fully preserved. The prevailing dynam-
ite scare is adroitly used in providing
the key to the situations, which are said
to be exceedingly funny.

The Acme of Stage Realism.

Every atom of scenery used in "A
Kentucky Girl" was specially built for
the play. The scene pictures are from
the brush of that gifted young American
artist, E. S. Goodwin, for the past three
years with the Hanlon Bros' attractions.
One of the most notable scenes depicts a
race for life between Charity Jarvey on
a railroad velocipede and four men on a
handcar. The machinery for this sen-
sation alone costing \$2,500 and requires
3,000 feet of moving panorama. Miss
Hasson will appear at the Grand Opera
house Wednesday evening, Sept. 19.

Tax Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian
church has engaged Miss Julia F. Lee to
read again this evening at the Taberna-
cle. And in order to accommodate those
who cry "hard times," they have placed
the price of admission at only 15 cents.
At this figure there should be a thousand
people in the audience, for this gifted
lady has but few equals in her chosen
line of work. Doors open at 7; enter-
tainment begins promptly at 8.

SATURDAY night at the corner of Lo-
cust and Jasper streets, Ray and Lee
Geddis, brothers, had a serious difficulty
about the management of horses, and
Ray stabbed his brother with a knife,
cutting him in the neck, dangerously
near the jugular vein. Dr. King at-
tended Lee who is in no great danger.
On application Justice Shorb issued the
warrant for Ray's arrest.

To lovers of high class elocutionary
work, it is unnecessary to say that a
rich treat awaits those who attend the
Julia F. Lee entertainment at the taber-
nacle to-night. Complete change of
program and costumes. Admission only
15 cents.

The fourth quarterly conference of
the First M. E. church will be held at
the church to-night. Rev. D. F. Howe
will leave for conference Wednesday
morning at Champaign.

Reverend Ingalls speaks Thursday
night.

NOT IN IT!

We are Making such
LOW PRICES

—ON—

Boots

&

Shoes

that all of the alleged

forced sales in the city are

not in it with us. No mat-

ter if you are tempted by

some flashy advertisement

promising low prices it

will always be vastly bet-

ter for you if you first

learn what you can buy

at Hutchin's with your

money.

WALTER HUTCHIN,

Reliable

Shoe Dealer,

117 N. Water St.,

DECATUR, ILL.

Dodd & Sanner Co.

Agents for the Celebrated

Kenwood,

Warwick

and Crawford

BICYCLES

Each Positively Guaranteed

Great Bargains!

WE OFFER TO-DAY

FOR SALE

our entire line of

Rent Wheels

at much less than their

ACTUAL VALUE

These rent wheels are high grade

and consist of both cushion and

pneumatic tires, for either ladies

or gentlemen.

Great Bargains!

Dodd & Sanner Co.

153 Merchant St.



MONDAY, SEPT. 17, 1934.

FACTS FOR SCIENTISTS.

PAPER pneumatic tires are in process of experiment.

PHOTOGRAPHS have been taken five hundred feet under water.

THERE are more muscles in the tail of a rat than there are in the human hand.

It was twenty-nine days from the setting of the Lick objective glass before it had cooled sufficiently for safe removal.

AN aurora seen from Toronto, Canada, last year has been calculated to be 66 miles high and 2,300 miles from end to end.

It tests last year in the German tinning by wood and coal costs a little more than twice that done with gas.

A GERMAN officer has invented a motor in which a fine stream of coal dust is utilized to drive a piston by explosion in the same manner as the gas in the gas engine.

ALL plants have periods of activity and rest. Some are active in the day time and sleep at night; others repose during the daylight hours and are awake at night.

THE longest continued cataleptic sleep known to science was reported from Germany in 1892, the patient having remained absolutely unconscious for four and a half months.

THE largest mammoth found in Siberia measured 17 feet long and 10 feet in height. The tusks weighed 560 pounds. The head without the tusks weighed 414 pounds.

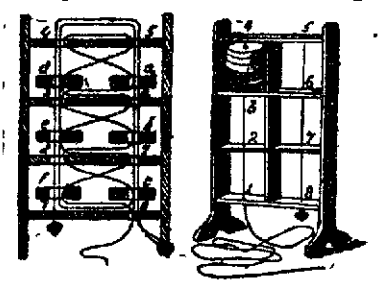
THE director of the Sydney (Australia) observatory has collected facts regarding eighty-four icebergs, showing that they do not appreciably affect the temperature in their neighborhood.

ELIZABETH has been adopted for towing the canal boats on the summit level of the canal de Bourgogne, which connects the Seine and Soane, crossing in its course the divide between the channel and the Mediterranean.

A CHINESE SCALE.

How to Make One of These Quaint Contrivances at Home.

Construct, out of pastboard or thin wood, a scale composed of three uprights and four horizontal cross-pieces, the result being a frame inclosing six compartments. The cross-pieces are each pierced with two holes, which will number from 1 to 8. Procure six chessmen, three white, a b, c, and three black, d, e, f—circular bits of cork or cardboard will do equally well—and pierce a hole through the center of each. Lastly, take a long cord threaded through a canvas needle and having a



large button attached to one end. This is all the apparatus necessary for the game illustrated in the accompanying cut. The manner of playing it is as follows: Arrange the chessmen so that a white one is in each compartment to the right and a black in each compartment to the left, the cord passing through the holes in the cross-pieces and chessmen in their respective order. This gives you a series of 14 holes: 1, f; 2, e; 3, d; 4, c; 5, b; 6, a; 7, c; and 8.

Now, suppose you wish to modify this arrangement of the pieces; as, for instance, to make the blacks and whites change sides. To do this, pass the cord through 8, c; 7, b; 6, a; 5, d; 4, e; 3, f; and 2, e. If you were to draw the needle at this moment, the cord, folding back on itself, would pass out of the holes and leave the pieces free. In order to avert this, wind the cord round the lower end of the upright situated under the hole, 8. This done, pass the cord through the holes: c, 2; b, 3; a, 4; d, 5; e, 6; f, 7; and 8. Now, free the cord at the bottom of the upright, and ask any one present to draw the button. Instantly, and as if by magic, the blacks and whites change places. A number of interesting combinations may be produced with this apparatus. Suppose one wants to bring all the pieces into the third upper compartment to the left, the blacks under the whites. For this, after having passed the cord through the holes in a reversed sense, as previously, pass it up from below through 3 and 3; thread the three blacks, d, e, f, the three whites, a, b, c, and then pass the cord through 4, e; 5, d; 6, c; 7, b; and 8. Detach the cord below, draw the button, and the problem is solved.

KARL'S CLOVER ROOT will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by C. H. Dawson. d&w

THE Danville fair last \$1000.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Stitch's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Guaranteed by C. H. Dawson.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Walter Adams is in Pana.

Mrs. A. W. Brodies is convalescent.

Frank Black has gone to Topeka, Kan.

S. T. Curtis left to-day for Galesburg.

E. F. Kuny has returned from Colorado.

Murray Millikin is in Chicago on business.

Mrs. J. E. Saxton has gone to Chicago to reside.

R. J. Colver has gone to Los Angeles, California.

Miss Alice Piper has returned from Champaign.

Mrs. J. M. Ehrman is visiting friends in Evansville.

Joseph Espy left to-day for Peoria on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Page of Peoria, is the guest of Mrs. F. L. Hays.

Mrs. C. B. Kearney left to-day for her home in Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Roberts has returned from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Drum, of Carro Gordo, were in the city to-day.

J. F. Paine, of Indianapolis, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. S. Starr.

Born, September 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Reed G. Peck, 556 West Pugh street—a 12 pound son.

Capt. A. T. Grist is confined to his home by illness. He is threatened with typhoid fever.

Miss Mary Williams went to Mt. Zion to-day to take charge of the school there for the winter.

Mrs. Risley, who has been very sick at her home on North Water street, is slowly improving.

Miss Cora Carpenter, who has been visiting F. S. Kiser and family returned to Hannibal, Mo., Saturday.

Mrs. A. W. Hardy returned Sunday morning from London, O., where she visited relatives and friends.

Miss Florence Rainey returned from Belleville Saturday, where she has been visiting for the past few months.

Miss Sadie Dawson of Lovington arrived in the city Saturday and will take a position with S. G. Hatch & Bro.

Mrs. Daisy Davidson of Prairie Home is sick at the home of her parents, William H. King and wife, of this city.

A. Spence, employed at S. S. Alsap's grocery, is sick as a result of injuries sustained in a runaway a few days ago.

Mrs. George Page and son, Gerald, of Peoria, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hays, returned home to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schlange of Pekin, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Jones, returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. E. C. Graves, of Leroy, who has been visiting A. P. Smith and family, 710 North Main street, returned home Saturday.

Lieut. Baker, of London, England, who has served thirteen years in the English navy, has been a guest at the Hotel Brunswick for several days.

Attorney Hugh Crea, who has been in Canada on a vacation trip, has returned to the city. His friends will notice that he has parted with a large percentage of his flowing beard.

E. A. Snively, of Springfield, clerk of the Central Division, Illinois Supreme court, is in the city and paid the REPUBLICAN a call this afternoon. He will be at the Democratic rally to-morrow.

Andrew Stevens, of Anderson, Ind., traffic manager for the Chicago & Southeastern railway, spent Sunday in Decatur, and was warmly greeted by many friends. The road is being extended rapidly.

Attorney John A. Brown, who has been at St. Paul and Minneapolis during the past two weeks, has returned home. While in that section he visited the town of Hinckley which was devastated by the forest fires.

Mrs. G. A. Smith, wife of the recently appointed freight agent for the P. & D. E., arrived in the city to-day from Terre Haute, accompanied by her daughter, and the family has leased property on East North street.

George Bear, of Oklahoma, is in the city on a visit. George is a son of John Bear, and has not been in Decatur for twenty-two years. He used to play a snare drum in the Joe Rickotts brass band. He reports all members of the Bear family well and hearty.

Charles Nicholls, of Vox Butte county, Nebraska, is in the city visiting his son, John Nicholls, the real estate dealer. Thirty-five years ago Mr. Nicholls was a stock buyer and butcher in Decatur and he then knew nearly everybody in Marion county. He finds many changes since he left Decatur but the old settlers readily recognize him and give him cordial greetings.

Counterfeit Bills.

The United States secret service has discovered two new counterfeit bills. One is a \$5 note of the Fifth National bank of Cincinnati, made by the photograph process. The bill is of the series of 1892, check letter A, charter number 2,798, bank number 2,269, and treasury number B 421,057. It bears the signature of W. B. Rosecrans, register, and James W. Hyatt, treasurer. The counterfeit is a scalloped chocolate-colored seal. The other new counterfeit is of the denomination of \$10 and is photographic representation of a silver certificate of the series of 1886. It has the signature of Rosecrans as register and the portrait of Vice-President Hendricks.

HAVE you tried the choice meats sold from the counter at C. J. Munson's, 493 North Main? The best selected cuts are kept on hand and sold at very low prices for cash. You save money and get only the best.

CHAS. DOLAN, late of Misquito Creek, has bought the City Restaurant, 493 North Main. He has refitted the same and is doing a good business.

THE CHURCHES.

A Magnificent Day Brings Out Large Congregations to Every Church.

W. C. Miller Returns—D. F. Howe Closes His First Year—H. H. Oneal Closes His Pastorate—J. A. F. King Preaches a Farewell—The Baptist Church.

The weather yesterday was all that church-goers could ask and the result was that large congregations were present at all the Decatur churches.

Rev. W. C. Miller returned from his summer vacation, and preached to his congregation at the Congregational church both morning and evening. His subject in the morning was "The River of Pleasures," and in the evening "The Reflected Man." A large congregation welcomed the return of their pastor.

Rev. D. F. Howe closed his first year at the First M. E. church. His sermon in the morning related to the church as a natural family part in heaven and others on earth. After the sermon he baptized 7 applicants and received into full membership 28 probationers and four by letter.

Rev. H. H. Oneal preached at Grace M. E. church on the "Oneness and Peace of the Church" and in the evening on "The Preachers Only Business." Both sermons were able and will probably be the last Mr. Oneal will preach to that congregation as its pastor as he expects to change at the present conference to some other station.

Rev. J. A. F. King, who for five years has been pastor of the U. B. church, but who, at the recent conference, was put in charge of the Lexington district as presiding elder preached his farewell sermon to his old congregation Sunday night. Presiding Elder Field preached in the morning.

Rev. Breach, of Winchester, preached both morning and evening at the First Baptist church which, since the death of Rev. Torrey, has been without a pastor. Mr. Breach preached well and was well liked by those who heard him.

Miss Berkstresser, who is an ordained minister in the Church of God, preached at the chapel of that church last night. Miss Berkstresser is a good speaker and very enthusiastic in her work.

A Heavy-Weight Bicyclist.

A Cincinnati Bicycle man has taken an immense contract. He has agreed to equip one of Newport's distinguished citizens with a wheel warranted not to bend or break. The gentleman who is interested in securing a wheel of such high grade is J. W. Grimes. He is about thirty-five years old and weighs just exactly 441 pounds. He is as active as a schoolboy, and says that if the wheel fits him he'll enter the Poorman road race next year. The bicycle is to be made of sixteen-gauge steel piping and when completed will weigh only thirty-five pounds.

Millinery Opening

At Sawyer & McCoy's, Thursday and Friday, September 20th and 21st. All are cordially invited. 17-45t

WAYS TO GET RICH.

THE road to fortune is paved with printer's ink.

SUCCESS and sense are necessary in successful advertising.

Get something people want, advertise it wisely and it is sure to pay.

The best advertising will not create a demand for that which is not wanted.

Success in business is paved by the typesetter and made smooth by the printing press.

DEFEAT is the soul of defeat in some advertising. Grain won't grow to fruitfulness the day it is planted.

The advice of a bishop to a young preacher applies equally well to an advertiser: "Have something to say. Say it. Stop."

The men who fail and go down in oblivion belong to the class who never advertise, advertise occasionally or only as they think their trade will warrant.

THERE may be a double meaning in the misspelled sign in South Brooklyn: "For Sail—A loopy yacht of forty-five tons. Apply to owner, Third avenue, Bay Ridge."

AN advertisement should tell the whole story in the least number of words, carefully selected and easily comprehended. The display should be adapted to the medium used.

TO catch the eye is the first requisite in an advertisement; what follows should be so well put together as to excite the reader's interest and claim his attention to the end.—Printer's Ink.

Wild grapes are quite abundant along the Mackinaw.

Phillips & Co.

have the largest stock of

PIANOS and

ORGANS

Ever brought to this city,

Hallet & Davis, Kimball and

Hale Pianos, and

KIMBALL ORGANS.

Low prices and easy terms.

Will offer Special Bargains for the

next thirty days.

Call and see us, or send for catalogue

326 North Water

Street, Wingate Block.

LINN & SCRUGGS

DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

Regulated by the Tariff Clock

Commencing to-day we set our prices to the figures on the Senate dial. Our customers shall see distinctly that there is to be no shifting off of our load upon them. They will realize that at this house they come at once to the new conditions provided by the new tariff act. Whatever we have on hand not already lower in price than under the new tariff

Goes Down Forthwith

to the bottom price, as if it had been imported or bought after the date of the present law. The difference does not in every case seem as large as some people expect, in fact is not nearly so large as proposed by the Wilson bill, with which the people grew better acquainted, and in hundreds of instances has been discounted, so that in spots throughout the store we practically lived under the tariff reduction act during the last fortnight. All that the people want to be sure of is that what they buy to-day is graded upon the rates fixed by the new tariff. That is now our platform and shall be as long as the bill stands.

You can buy Dress Goods and Carpets cheaper than ever. All Dress Goods bought under the new tariff. Largest and finest line of Dress Goods and Silks ever shown. Grand display this week.

GLOVES.

We have just received the most complete assortment of Ladies' Men's and Children's Kid Gloves ever shown in Decatur. Comprising all the leading brands and shades. Ask to see our "Frances," the newest thing out; genuine kid, with fancy silk lining. We also purchased a lot of Ladies' Black and Colored Kid Gloves, manufacturer's imperfections, worth from \$1.25 to \$2.00 a pair; will place on sale at 50c a pair.

CORSETS.

Thirty dozen Featherbone Corsets in white and gold at 45c.

HOSIERY.

One hundred doz. Ladies' Seamless Fast Black Hose, two pairs for 25c. Fifty dozen Ladies' Imported, extra fine gauge, high spliced and double sole; formerly sold at 35c, now 25c a pair.

UNDERWEAR.

One hundred doz. Ladies' Extra Heavy Ribbed Vests and Pants, 25c each. Seventy-five dozen Ladies' Wool mixed Ribbed Vests and Pants, 50c, worth 75c.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Ninety dozen Ladies' Plain White Handkerchiefs, 5c each. Twenty-five dozen Ladies' Pure Linen, one-half inch hem, 12 1/2c each.

UMBRELLAS.

We will place on sale to-morrow 125 26 inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas, worth \$1.75, for \$1.00.

NEW FLANNELS.

Finest French Flannels for wrappers; beautiful patterns, new styles. Eiderdown in all colors, stripes, checks and plain colors. Shirting Flannels in stripe or check, extra weight, new price 25c a yard. Skirting Flannels in blue mix, grey mix and red mix, has no equal for undershirts; sale price 19c a yard. Don't Flannel (white), long fleece, fine quality; sale price 10c a yard. Skirt patterns in endless variety, new styles, fine goods; this week 98c each.

YARNS.

Our stock of Yarn is now complete. Never before have our customers had such an assortment to examine. We have everything in the market. We quote a few prices only: Old fashioned Springfield, O., Yarn, 90c a pound. German Knitting, all colors, 90c a pound. Cashmere Yarn, white and black only, two skeins for 25c. Spanish yarn, the very best, 25c a skein. Germantown, any color (Dorcas), 10c a ball. Saxony Skeins, white and black, three skeins for 25c. Zephyrs, balance of stock will be sold at 1c a skein. Giant Wool, the latest for fancy work, three balls for 25c.

BLANKETS.

Fine quality 10-4 full size, white, grey and tan; sale price 98c each. Fancy stripe, fine fleece, fast colors; this week \$1.50 a pair. Hungarian Wool, full 11-4, white only, 75c pairs will be sold at \$2.19 a pair.

Fine California-Blankets, guaranteed strictly pure wool, in grey, red and white. The best blanket in the market. We have five cases recently bought direct from the manufacturers. This week we will sell the entire lot at the uniform price of \$5 a pair.

COMFORTS.

Six-puffed Comfort, fine quality, dark pattern; sale price 98c each.

Fine satine, beautiful patterns, full size; sale price \$1.50 each.

Home made, best batting, best calico, largest size; this week \$1.69 each.

Feather Comforts, finest quality, Venetian satine, the very latest; sale price \$4.98 each.

Carpet Warp, best quality, white, 18c; colored 20c.

Feathers—We have on hand the very finest quality of prime live geese feathers. We sell only the highest grade.

HOUSEKEEPING LINENS.

Barnesley Loom Damask, 60 in. wide, assorted patterns at 40c a yard.

Heavy satin damask (Irish manufacture), full bleached, sale price, 60c.

One hundred dozen Fringed Napkins just received; this week they will be sold at 25c a dozen.

Three thousand yards Windsor Twilled Toweling; until all is sold, 3 1/2c a yard.

Crochet Bed Spreads, Marseilles patterns. We will sell one case only at 88c each.

One lot remnants fine Brown Muslin, 96 inches wide, two to ten yard lengths; sale price 4c a yard.

Soft Finish Bleach Muslin, one of the finest cottons made, 6 1/2c a yard.

Long cloth in ten to twelve-yard bolts, the finest fabric made for ladies' and children's undergarments; sale price 10c a yard.

LACES AND RIBBONS.

A pretty line of Laces, all the new effects as Vandyke, Bourdon, and hand run Princess May. Prices range according to width, 25c to \$8.50 per yard. Ribbons in all colors and widths, prices 5c to \$1.00 per yard.

WASH DRESS GOODS.

All the latest New York novelties at prices within the reach of all. Covert, Gingham, India Cashmere, Venetian Crepe, Pongee, Percales, Cambrics, etc. China effect, 7 1/2c a yard.

New Punjab Cloth, 7c a yard.

Indigo Blue Calicoes, 4 1/2c a yard.

Thirty-inch Viceroy Cloth, 12 1/2c a yard.

Dress Gingham, 5c a yard.

Apron Checks, 5c a yard.

One lot of remnants, from 5 to 10 yard lengths. This lot will be sold cheap.

FUR REPAIRING.

or dyeing or remaking. We know what the fashions are to be and can do the work cheaper now than when the work rooms are crowded. Furs we work on will be held without other charge for delivery when cold weather comes if desired.

TRIMMING DEPARTMENT.

The largest line of fur trimming ever shown in Decatur. Black Hair, Coney, Canada, Wool Seal, Nutria, Beaver, Imitation Mink Tail, Grey Krimmer, Astrakhan, Seal, Skunk, Mink, Opossum, Baltic Seal, Marten, Angora Wool, from 25c to 85c a yard. Swan's Down, Muk Piping, Nutria Piping, Coney Piping and Seal Piping. Jet Trimmings in endless varieties from 6c up. Jet Yokes, Pearl Yokes and Pearl Trimming. Jet Buckles and Pearl Buckles.

Silk and Wool Braids in all widths and prices. Brownies 5c and 10c each.

Hair Pins, Combs and Side Combs in the latest patterns. Combs, Hair Pins, Side Combs in all the latest designs.

COLORED DRESS GOODS.

36-inch Wool Novelties, formerly 50c, at 38c a yard.

38-inch Wool Novelties, formerly 75c, at 50c a yard.

40-inch Wool Novelties, formerly \$1.00, at 90c a yard.

45-inch Wool Novelties, formerly \$1.10, at 95c a yard.

52-inch Wool Novelties, formerly \$1.25, at 95c.

Imported German and French Suitings in Camel's Hair and a variety of other new makes, \$1.00.

Imported Pattern Dresses, an immense assortment, from \$5.98 to \$39.

Special for This Week—45-inch Wool Serge, best fall colors, for 39c a yard.

Never have we had such a line of Black Dress Goods to show, plain and fancy. Prices will be just one half. They range in price from 25c to \$2.00.

READY MADE SUITS.

Our Tailor Made Suits display the highest possibilities of the customer's art. They are made after the accepted fashions in the class of women's apparel. All the latest fabrics.

Our line of Misses' Jackets contains the very latest novelties, and our Children's Coats and Gretchenes are unequalled in style and variety.

FURS.

Greatest line of Furs ever in Decatur. Capes in Seal, Electric Seal, Nutria, Astrakhan, Skunk, Wool Seal, Monkey, Beaver, China Seal, Mink, Marten, Otter, Coney, Persian. Also Muffs, Scarfs and Hosi in endless variety.

200 Light Weight Jackets to close out regardless of cost.

50 Misses' and Children's Jackets, formerly sold up to \$5.00, for \$1.00.

75 Ladies' Jackets, formerly sold up to \$8.00, for 2.00.

75 Ladies' Jackets, formerly sold up to \$15, for 4.98.

NEW WINTER CLOAKS.

Never before in the history of our house have we been able to show a line of garments possessing so many attractions as on show to-day. The needs of the cloak, suit and fur customers must be cared for and all tastes can be suited from our elegant assortment.

Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Coats, Ladies' Cloaks, Ladies' Wraps, Ladies

CRUGGS CARPET COMPANY.

by the sock

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easily lower in price than under the new tariff

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A pretty line of Laces, all the new effects as Vandykes,
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according to width, 25c to \$3.50 per yard.
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per yard.

WASH DRESS GOODS.

All the latest New York novelties at prices within
the reach of all. Covert Cloths, India Cashmores,
Venetian Crepe, Pongee, Percalies, Cambrics, etc. China
effect, 75c a yard.
New Punjab Cloth, 75c a yard.
Indigo Blue Calicoes, 47c a yard.
Thirty inch Viceroy Cloth, 12 1/2c a yard.
Dress Gingham, 3c a yard.
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Piping, Nutria Piping, Coney Piping and Seal Piping.
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Imported Pattern Dresses, an immense assortment,
from \$8.98 to \$20.
Special for This Week—45 inch Wool Serge, best
fall colors, for 35c a yard.

READY MADE SUITS.

Our Tailor Made Suits display the highest possibili-
ties of the customer's art. They are made after the
accepted fashions in the class of women's apparel. All
the latest fabrics.
Our line of Misses' Jackets contains the very latest
novelties, and our Children's Coats and Gowns are
unequaled in style and variety.

FURS.

Greatest line of Furs ever in Decatur. Capes in
Seal, Electric Seal, Nutria, Astrakhan, Skunk, Wool
Seal, Monkey, Beaver, China Seal, Mink, Marten, Ot-
ter, Coney, Persian, Asia Muffs, Scarfs and Boas in
endless variety.
200 Light Weight Jackets to close out regardless of
cost.
50 Misses' and Children's Jackets, formerly sold up
to \$5.00, for \$1.00.
75 Ladies' Jackets, formerly sold up to \$8.00, for 2.98.
75 Ladies' Jackets, formerly sold up to \$13. for 4.98.

NEW WINTER CLOAKS.

Never before in the history of our house have we
been able to show a line of garments possessing so
many attractions as on show to-day. The needs of the
cloak, suit and fur customers must be cared for and
all tastes can be suited from our elegant assortment.
Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Coats, Ladies' Cloaks, Lad-
ies' Wraps, Ladies' Capes, Ladies' Circulars, made in
endless assortments of beautiful fabrics, quality, fit,
fashion and price we guarantee.

CARPETS.

In our Carpet Department we are showing the larg-
est line of Carpets, Oil Cloth and Rugs ever shown in
Central Illinois.

SILKS AND VELVETS.

Tariff prices on Silks:
17 pieces Black, all Silk, Faille Francaise, formerly
sold at 85c, at 50c a yard.
25 pieces Colored Faille Francaise in all the new
shades, formerly sold at \$1.00, 75c a yard.
32 pieces Fanciful Bengaline in all the new effects,
formerly sold at \$1.25, 75c a yard.
60 pieces China Silk at 45c.
15-25 inch Satin Rhadame at \$1.00.
19-25 inch Velvets at \$1.00.

PHILPOTT'S GREAT Reduction Sale In Full Blast.

Our \$2.50 and \$3.00 Vici Kid Button and Lace
Shoes, Common Sense, Narrow, Square or Razor
Toes, from A to EE, ALL GO AT
\$1.85 Until Closed Out.

A large lot of Gents' and Ladies' OVERGAITERS
REDUCED to 25c.

SCHOOL SHOES, all styles and prices. A pres-
ent with every pair.

PHILPOTT,
THE SHOE MAN. 150 Merchant St., Decatur.

PROGRESSIVE WOMEN.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

Those who have used Dr. King's New
Discovery know its value, and those who
have not have now the opportunity to
try it. Free. Call on the advertised
Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free.
Send your name and address to H. E.
Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sam-
ple box of Dr. King's New Life Pills
Free, as well as a copy of Guide
to Health and Household Instructor, Free.
All of which is guaranteed to do
you good and cost you nothing. King
& Hubbard Druggists.

It has been definitely decided to inter-
the remains of the Comte de Paris at
Weybridge.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts,
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum,
Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands,
Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions,
and positively cures Piles, or no pay re-
quired. It is guaranteed to give perfect
satisfaction, or money refunded. Price
25 cents per box. For Sale By
KING & HUBBARD.

APT LOTUS, of Marshall county, has
raised 12,000 bushels of oats from 200
acres.

For instance, Mrs. Chas. Rogers, of
Bay City, Mich., accidentally spilled
scalding water over her little boy. She
promptly applied De Witt's Little Hazel
Salve, giving instant relief. It is a won-
derfully good salve for burns, bruises,
sores, and a sure cure for Piles. C. H.
Dawson.

A new steam heating plant is now
being put into the Phoenix hotel at
Pontiac.

RUDY'S FILE SUPPOSITORY is
guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipa-
tion, or money refunded. 50 cents per
box. Send stamp for circular and free
sample to MARTIN RUDY, Lancaster,
Pa. For Sale by W. A. Dixon & Co.,
Druggists, Decatur, Ill.

A PRIVATE telephone line is about to
be built between Lincoln and Atlanta.

HEADACHE is the direct result of Indi-
gestion and Stomach Disorders. Rem-
edy these by using De Witt's Little Hazel
Risers and your Headache disappears.
The favorite Little Pill everywhere. C. H.
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THE Price Current estimates the total
corn crop at 1,500,000 bushels.

ONE word describes it—"perfection."
We refer to De Witt's Little Hazel
Salve, cures obstinate sores, burns, skin
diseases, and is a well known cure for
piles. C. H. Dawson.

FIVE hundred and thirty-four children
are in the Pontiac public schools.

ALL the talk in the world will not con-
vince you as quickly as one trial of De
Witt's Little Hazel Salve for Scalds,
Burns, Bruises, Skin Affections and
Piles. C. H. Dawson.

S. H. HOOPER has sold a farm near
Forrest for \$100 per acre.

SMALL in size, great in results: De
Witt's Little Hazel Risers. Best pill for
Constipation, best for Sick Headache,
Best for Sour Stomach. C. H. Dawson.

No GRIPING, no Nausea, no Pain, when
De Witt's Little Hazel Risers are taken.
Small Pill. Safe Pill. Best Pill. C. H.
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I. D. & W. EXCURSIONS.

On account of the Indiana State Fair, the I. D. &
W. will, for the first time, sell special excursion
tickets to Hamilton, Ohio, and return at \$1 for the
round trip, account of the Butler county fair.
Ticket good on train No. 4 of October 23rd,
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This will positively be the last excursion to
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BARGAIN COLUMN.

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

Advertisements of Forty words or less may
be inserted in this column at a price of 25 cents
per week, payable invariably in advance.

WANTED.

WANTED—An apprentice at Mrs. Young's
millinery store at Anthony & Webb st.
East Main street. 14-45

WANTED—Girl to do general housework in a
small family. Good wages, 731 West
Prairie street. 14-45

WANTED—A good dining room girl. Apply
at City Restaurant south side Old square.
14-45

WANTED—Every man, woman and child in
Decatur to win wealth, happiness, long life
and contentment by occasionally dropping in at
this department. 14-45

WANTED—Everybody to know that I have a
fine assortment of spectacles and eyeglasses
that I am offering at half price. Call and see me
at 130 South Water street at J. M. Huff's, near
M. L. Sanders. 14-45

WANTED—You to see the fine line of wall
paper which we are selling very cheap.
Cheaper than ever before. Also our line of pic-
ture frames. Everything put down to clear the
room. Call on telephone 200. 14-45

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply
at 450 North College street. Mrs. M. Stitz-
enberger. 14-45

WANTED—to notify my friends and patrons
that I have moved my shop to 977
Mourning street. Inspect their work and you
will be convinced that their equal has never been
placed on this market. 14-45

WANTED—The ladies to call at Garrett's, 430
North Water street, and examine the put-
ting on of the new line of dresses. You
will be convinced that their equal has never been
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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
In the Circuit Court.
Edward J. Martin,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Linda M. Strader et al.,
Defendants.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance
of a decree of the circuit court of Mason county
Illinois entered in the above entitled cause at
the June term 1894, of said court, James J.
Fin, Master in Chancery of said court will on
Saturday, Sept. 22d, 1894,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day at the
front door of the court house in the city of De-
catur in said county, offer for sale at public
auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand,
subject to redemption according to law, the
property in said decree ordered to be sold, de-
scribed as follows, to-wit: The northeast corner
of the northwest quarter of section twenty-
five (25), Township sixteen (16), north of Range
two (2), East of the Third Principal Meridian in
Mason county, Illinois.
Dated Decatur, Ill., Aug. 22, A. D. 1894.
JAMES J. FIN, Master in Chancery.
E. S. McDONALD, Complainant's Solicitor.
Aug-22-94

PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS.
GEO. M. WOOD,
139 South Water st.

MY MEAT MARKET—East Main street—
where I buy all my fresh meat and cure it
for making lunch. I have the best and the prices
are lower than elsewhere. John Zellers & Sons
managers. 14-45

A REWARD—Everybody to know that they
can get ice cream in any style at the Kandy
Kitchen, 735 North Water street. Brick
cream in three colors, or plain blue ice cream.
Delicious flavors, and all
kinds of ice made at order. Terms reasonable.
Call and investigate. 14-45

WELLS driven or bored from two to thirty
feet. Drills run with either belt or tile.
For terms or prices, call at C. M. FOSTER'S
grocery store, 1075 North Water street. 14-45

FOR A GOOD LUNCH—Call on A. J. Brown's
lunch room, 107 North Water street. The
best meal in the city, also a fresh line of
cigars and tobacco. 14-45

FEATHERS RENOVATED—Now is the time,
before cold weather comes, and Clumber-
land & Co.'s is the place to get feathers re-
novated. Wash and over hair, moss, and other
kinds of mattresses. 14-45

HIGH-GRADE instruction in piano-forte
playing. Fall term opens Monday, Sept. 3.
Studio over Dr. Walz' dental parlor. Office
hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. C. A. Foster.
14-45

PULL line of cut flowers, roses, etc. A fine
line of bedding plants, Geraniums, Verbena,
Pansies, etc., delivered to any part of the city.
Call on telephone 200. 14-45

ASHLAND REDEEMED.

The Good Name of the District Vindicated

BY THE DEFEAT OF BRECKINRIDGE.

The Vote Against Him Not So Pronounced as Desired, But Sufficient
—The Good Women Prayed
While the Men Voted.

Nothing but Fraud or Juggling Can Save Him.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—Unless fraud or juggling can save him, the career of William C. P. Breckinridge is ended. The people of the old Ashland district have rebuked their idol and cast him from their hearts forever. It is unfortunate that they did not speak in more certain tones, for while W. C. Owens is undoubtedly nominated for congress, the triumph of decency has been won by a margin so close that there is room for a further contest by the desperate supporters of the Breckinridge result. It has been a campaign of morality against licentiousness, and the victory, however close it may turn out to be, will vindicate the cause of honest manhood and pure womanhood. While the eyes of the whole world looked on, the battle was fought out. Every political consideration was forgotten in the contest of higher issues.

It has been pre-eminently a woman's campaign. When the first great meeting was held to protest against the return of Breckinridge to congress, the ladies of Lexington and their fair compatriots from all parts of the Blue Grass country made a magnificent banner, which they stretched across the stage of the opera house, bearing the inspiring sentiment:

"The honor of the Ashland district shall be preserved."

To this noble cause they have given their time, their money and their hearts. In the churches, in public meetings, at mammoth barbecues, upon the streets and in the sacred circle of the home they have worked bravely and tirelessly to redeem this pledge. Even scandal they have borne, and the most cowardly deflections, but no suffering has tempted them to desert the high purpose for which they have made sacrifices. To them more than to all others must be given the generous tribute of praise. With such champions of such a cause it is indeed a pity that the result is not more decisive.

When the first returns came in last night it seemed certain Owens had been nominated by at least 1,000 or 1,500 majority. His supporters became fairly wild with delight, and about the headquarters on Main street the noisiest enthusiasm prevailed. The "Young Lion of the democracy" had carried the counties of Oldham, Franklin, Scott and Woodford by magnificent majorities, while Bourbon seemed to have pronounced against Breckinridge, and even Fayette, the home of the great defendant, had apparently renounced her erring son.

As the night wore on, however, the later news developed the gravest doubt as to the result, and for several hours the Breckinridge leaders were confident that they had won the fight. Their boasts were unquestionably made for the purpose of anticipating a resort to other methods than mere vote counting to win. Even at midnight when it was absolutely certain that Breckinridge was defeated by 200 to 700 plurality, his managers were still claiming the election.

That an attempt was being made to doctor the returns, there is no question. Couriers were sent to the remote precincts of Owen and Henry counties and some of the staunch and disinterested of the defeated man announced their purpose to use every means to manipulate the returns. If they failed in this they threatened to carry the contest before the congressional committee, which they control, and ask that the votes of 800 electors in Scott county be thrown out on the ground of illegality. Should any such attempt be made, the Owens leaders will appeal for protection to the courts and enjoin the committee from in any way reversing the verdict of the people.

Sadness Reigns at the Headquarters of the Defeated Libertine.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 15.—To-night Col. Breckinridge is in his headquarters surrounded by the staunch and loyal friends who have stood by him in all his troubles. He is a crushed and disappointed man. Yet, with his old-time confidence he looks fearlessly into the future to find there even yet, a career of public usefulness. I saw him just as the last news was coming in and he turned from the table where his faithful son, Desha, was figuring upon the returns to talk briefly to the United Press reporter.

"It is my own county of Fayette that gives me greatest grief," said he. "I thought she would give me at least 800 majority, and many of my friends expected as much as 1,500. Instead of that my majority in my own county is only 205. In Woodford we also expected a majority of several hundred, but that county has gone against me, as has Franklin, another county that I thought would give me a small majority. They are holding back the returns from Scott county for the purpose, I believe, of doctoring them, if the news from the other counties do not suit the Owens people in this way they will probably defeat me. I had expected Scott to go for Owens by about 1,500 majority, but, of course, they can fix the returns to suit themselves."

The colonel's headquarters seemed almost like a tomb, but the colonel himself held up well under his defeat, which he did not fully acknowledge, except in talking about his future plans, said: "I expect to live out my days

right here in Kentucky, and will continue to go in and out among the people until I am laid away in the beautiful Lexington cemetery, where sleep all that is mortal of my ancestors. As I said to these people on the stump, if they do not choose to send me back to congress I will find some other sphere to labor for them."

Col. Breckinridge is in splendid health, but he presents a sad sight. To-night around his headquarters everything is quiet as the grave, and one square further down the street, at Owens' headquarters, thousands of young men, and old ones, too, are making night hideous with their yells, blowing tin horns and shouting for Owens. Gen. Gentry proposed three cheers for the women of the district, and they were given with such a will as to almost deafen people who were standing on the other side of the street. They then gave three cheers for the newspaper correspondents who kept before the world the sins of Breckinridge.

Recognizes the Hand of God in the Result.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—At the residence of Mrs. Frank K. Hunt, president of the woman's organization, last evening, there was a jubilant gathering of the women who have worked so hard to defeat Breckinridge. Mrs. Hunt said: "In this victory I recognize the hand of God, I am merely a humble instrument. All along I have had an abiding faith in the good men of this district. I have felt that in such a crisis they would stand for the honor of our land, and Kentucky is today redeemed. Again we can proudly lift our head to all the world. It is again God's country."

Prof. J. W. McGarvey, the preacher who has taken such an active part, said: "I rejoice, and I praise God for the results. I believe it will be prolific of incalculable blessings to our people for generations to come. I hope, also, and believe that the asperities of the campaign will soon pass away to be succeeded by peace, hope and good will. The character and honor of Kentucky are vindicated, not as completely as we desired, but still vindicated. The preachers in the district have done nobly, but the part performed by the women is the noblest of all."

Fighting at the Polls—Son Desha Takes a Blast.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—Desha Breckinridge was passing precinct D voting place about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when he saw J. Walter Peak, a strong Owens worker inside the booth preparing an affidavit. Desha spoke to him through the window and told him he had no business in there and that he had better come out. Peak replied that he would not come out and Breckinridge went into the booth after him. The two men clinched but were separated. Peak soon afterward went out, when Breckinridge met him the second time, and a lively little fight followed. Both men had their faces scratched, several blows being passed. Each one had a pistol on his person, but they were separated before they had a chance to draw their weapons.

In precinct B Mike Monahan and John Hatley attempted to work the bulldoze racket on the Owens men, when J. W. McNamara and his brother Ed, strong Owens men, began fighting them. Monahan's head was badly beaten, and Bill Cavert, another fellow who had rushed in to help Monahan, got out in the head with a kick. Ernest Cassidy is a strong Owens man, and his brother Leslie is a strong Settle man. They got into a fight in precinct C, and Ernest whipped his brother pretty badly.

A Fitted Battle—One Man Dangerously Stabbed.

VERMILION, Ky., Sept. 16.—Out in the Paywood neighborhood there was a pitched battle yesterday between twenty Breckinridge and Owens men as the result of a discussion on the political outlook, during which G. W. Gillespie, a Breckinridge man, was stabbed twice with a dirk knife just above the heart and in the back, dangerously wounding him. It is impossible to find out who did the cutting, everyone of the participants becoming as much as an oyster.

The wounded man said he was "coming to Versailles to vote for Bill Breckinridge if it killed him." The physician, who dressed the wound said he would die if he persisted in carrying out his declarations.

More Fighting.

EMINENCE, Ky., Sept. 16.—At Lockport, near this place, a desperate fight took place between several men, partisans of Breckinridge and Owens. James Haskins was severely cut and a number of pistol shots fired, but no one was hurt. Big Jim Williams, the well-known horseman, a strong Breckinridge man, and Marshall Ellis exchanged some hot words and came together in fistfights, but no bones were broken.

Breckinridge May Contest.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 17.—Desha Breckinridge gave out the following at 10 o'clock last night: "While I cannot give out a statement by counties, I will say that the reports received by us have decreased Owens' plurality to 144 votes. I believe the committee will give the count to father. In the event that he does not receive the count I am not prepared to say what will follow; maybe a contest."

Owens Announces His Victory.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—At 1 a. m. Owens announced his victory, giving vote by counties, claiming a plurality of 565. This will not be materially changed when the final count is made, as it is conceded that sufficient frauds have been perpetrated to change previous figures enough to give Owens the plurality claimed.

Won by Superb Organization.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—Owens won his victory yesterday by superb organization. At every precinct his voters were on hand early and forced the voting. This news spread over the district, and had a wonderfully encouraging effect on the Breckinridge people.

PRINCE BISMARCK.

A Great Popular Demonstration in His Honor.

THROGS OF ADMIRERS AT THE CASTLE.

Sad Reflections of the Aged and Retired Statesman—The Days of His Glory and Usefulness to Germany Past.

VARZEIN, Sept. 17.—This little village never before saw such a festival as began here yesterday morning. Preparations had been making for days to receive the Posen delegation of Prince Bismarck's admirers. With day-break visitors came from the surrounding districts by the score. They found the streets already decorated with garlands, flags and arches spanning the roads which lead to the castle. Poolemen who had been gathered from Stolpe, Coslin and other nearby points closed the approaches to the castle so as to leave free way for the delegation.

Prince and Princess Bismarck rose at 9 o'clock. Only members of the family circle were at breakfast, among them Count William Bismarck, his sister, the Countess Rantzau and Dr. Schwening, who came to the castle Saturday evening so as to be with the prince during the reception.

The railway arrangements had been made so carefully that all the accommodations of the castle and park were taxed to the last point. Special trains left Posen, Bromberg and East Prussia at 10 o'clock last evening. At Schneidemühl they were joined to the trains from other points. The great line of cars, all packed to the last bit of standing room, was divided into two sections, and ran thus to Varzein about half an hour apart. The first train reached Hammermühle at 11:35, the other just before noon. Tents for their reception had been erected, and the tables for luncheon were spread before 11 o'clock.

The young men walked from the railway station to the castle. The older men were carried in the prince's carriages, in vehicles used at his father's and in whatever else had wheels and something to sit on.

The procession was marshaled by Maj. Von Tiedemann, who divided it into three battalions. At a farm house near the station each battalion halted and had grog, coffee and sausages served by the men from the prince's estate.

After this refreshment the procession was reorganized. The count then showed that 2,300 men were present and eager to take part in the march past the castle.

Maj. Von Tiedemann ordered a halt again when the head of the column arrived at the platform which was erected in front of the castle entrance. Delegates hastily broke ranks and crowding forward, gathered in a big semi-circle to await the prince's coming.

Bismarck had been on the veranda. He found to the right and left of the door several tables at which sat, elbow to elbow, the reporters of all the large journals in north Germany.

"I am afraid you will find this a rather poor affair," he said, after exchanging greetings. "I am feeling rather fatigued, and fear I cannot give you much for your papers. I can tell that I hope none of you will ever know the plague of lumbago such as I contracted at my work."

Lieut. Fischer, one of the originators of the demonstration, replied: "We know very well your grace."

Bismarck seemed hardly to hear him. He looked over the row of reporters, clasped his hands behind his back, and said with a suggestion of sadness:

"And all these gentlemen have sacrificed themselves for two rights to come and see what is but a ruin."

"But what is that," Lieut. Fischer answered, "considering that your grace sacrificed so many nights for the benefit of the fatherland."

"Those days are over," said Bismarck with a slight gesture. "They will not come again. Now I must go in doors and stay there until the procession arrives."

The United Press reporter asked of the prince's health.

"It is hard to say," answered Bismarck, "just how I do feel, I do not know whether my lumbago is worse when I sit or when I walk."

As he turned to the door he noticed on one of the press tables a velvet and silver-bound volume. He opened it, disclosing the text of an illuminated address, but quickly closed it with the words: "I must not peep into the secrets in store for me."

Dr. Schwening, who had been beckoning to the prince for a minute or more, at last caught his eye and induced him to go into the house. Afterward Dr. Schwening explained to the United Press reporter that he feared for the prince on account of the lumbago. The prince's general health was good, the doctor said, and would carry him through many more years.

It was 10:30 o'clock when the band was heard coming with the procession from the village. After the delegates had gathered around the platform a man in a military uniform started "The Watch on the Rhine." Nearly 3,000 voices responded. The last strain of the grand march had hardly echoed from the castle when the old chancellor came forward. A sea of hats, handkerchiefs and flags swept instantly over the heads of the crowd, and for several minutes everybody cheered like mad. As the cheering ceased, Maj. Von Tiedemann stepped on the platform and proposed a final cheer with some sentiment. It was lost in the tumult of enthusiasm. Councillor Duenemann read the address. He said:

"Thousands of men of all classes have gathered here to honor the man who realized the dream of many generations of Germans—the man who united Germany, of which our people

once shall forever form an integral part. There has been occasional variations in the administration of our province, but this has served only to deepen our attachment to the imperial idea embodied in Prince Bismarck's work. [Cheers.]

The maennchorer chanted "Hail Bismarck" after the address, and amid repeated cheers Bismarck stepped forward to reply. He spoke forty-five minutes.

Prince Bismarck, in the course of his speech, declared that Posen was more indispensable to Germany than even Alsace and Lorraine, and Germany would spell her last drop of blood and spend her last coin in defending it. It was only the elements of political impotence and ignorance that believed in the Pole. A friendly policy might pacify some of the Poles, but it would not pacify the Polish lordly population. It is the Polish nobility and clergy who agitate and fan the flame of political hatred.

PEACE IS ASSURED.

But the Continued Development of Military Forces is Still Necessary.

BUDA-PEST, Sept. 17.—Emperor Franz Joseph received the Austro-Hungarian delegation here yesterday. Addressing them he congratulated them upon the fact that the confidence expressed in 1893 that peace would be preserved and consolidated had been confirmed by the establishment of a still more peaceful situation throughout Europe and the existence of the most amicable relations among the powers. "We hope," he said, "that in the future we shall be able to devote ourselves undisturbed to the well-being of our people; nevertheless, it will be necessary, equally with the other powers, to continue to develop our military forces."

The Political Testament of the Count of Paris.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—The political testament of the count of Paris was made public yesterday. The document, which is very brief, is dated Stowe House, July 21, 1894, and says:

"As I had no knowledge of my future, I would not attempt to trace a line of conduct for my son. Feeling with great confidence that he would always uphold the traditions of our house, which are love for France and for the faithful discharge of all the duties incumbent upon him. I hope that France will soon be reunited, all parties finding a blessing of common agreement under the traditional monarchy. If I went to Frohlsdorf in 1873 it was to show my respect for the hereditary principle. Since then I have tried to deserve the confidence of my party, fighting although in exile, zealously for France."

The document concludes by expressing his trust that God has not abandoned France, to whom he gave St. Louis and Jeanne d'Arc. He felt certain that France would return to her old religion, and, meanwhile, he could only hope for the unity of all existing parties. He was sure that his friends would understand that this was a necessary condition and precedent to all they hoped for.

Four Wanted and But One Taken.

ROME, Sept. 16.—The police yesterday surprised four anarchists in the act of posting an anarchist manifesto in the vicinity of the ministry of marine. The anarchists resisted the police, and in the ensuing fight three of them escaped. The fourth was taken to jail.

HERE'S A STATE OF THINGS.

Municipal Authority Ignored while Hostile Corporations Fight Over Their Differences.

MUSKOGEE, Ind., Sept. 16.—Mob law ruled in this city yesterday for several hours as a result of a conflict between the Warren Scharf Asphalt Pavement Co. and the Electric Street Railway Co., and at times the situation was alarming. The street railway company has greatly delayed the work of paving streets, and yesterday morning when the pavement company attempted to tear out street-car tracks to stop the cars Manager Hilligoss, of the electric company, attempted to clear the tracks by running motor cars through all obstructions.

One team was knocked off, but a negro driver of the next team hit Hilligoss with a couple of bowlders as he made the second run for his team. One thousand men and boys cheered the workmen, and before Hilligoss could get the car out the rails had been removed and it was ditched.

Hilligoss ignored Superintendent of Police Miller's orders, and one of the motormen ran the car into the officer, nearly killing him. The track was torn out and cars ditched and the excited people ran over one another. A restraining order was issued at 3 o'clock at the instance of the railway company, and a costly law suit will follow. Hilligoss attempted to destroy a fence built across Walnut street at Main by running through it with a car. He was thrown to the ditch and severely injured, while a crowd of 500 citizens cheered.

HIS LAST QUESTION.

"I Am Dead. What Shall They Do With My Carcass?"

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—M. A. Bell, 46 years old, of Cleveland, O., who came to this city on Friday and went to the New York hotel, Broadway, opposite Bond street, shot himself in the head yesterday morning. A dispatch was found in the room, which read as follows:

"George C. Bell, 513 Euclid avenue, Cleveland, O. I am dead. What shall they do with my carcass?"

M. A. BELL.

The Chauvin Murder Mystery.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 16.—There have been no new developments in the Chauvin murder case. Barnaby Trombley, one of the murdered man's missing nephews, turned up yesterday. He refused to be interviewed on the murder of his uncle and left town today. The inquest which was to be tomorrow will be postponed.

BIG VALUES

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New Fall Goods

We will offer exceptional values this week in New Fall Goods, so come in and lay in your supply early and save money and get a good choice.

Dry Goods.

New Henriettas at 20, 25, 35, 50 and 60c a yard.
New Silks at 65, 75, 89 and 98c.
New Broadcloth at 75, 89, 98c and \$1.25.
New Pongees at 8, 12½ and 15c.
New Sateens at 12½ and 15c.
New Table Linens at 39, 49, 58 and 65c.
New Outings at 8, 10 and 12½c.
New Gingham at 8, 10 and 12½c.
New Sheetings at 8, 10 and 12½c.
New Wool Flannels at 25, 35 and 48c.
New Cotton Flannels at 5, 6½, 7½, 8½, 10 and 12½c.
New Muslins at 5, 6½, 7½ and 8½c.
New Wide Sheetings at 15, 18 and 20c.
New Underwear at 25, 49, 69 and 75c each garment.

Jackets & Wraps.

All Medium Weight garments to go regardless of value.
Jackets at \$2.50, 2.75, 3.00, 3.95, 5.00, 6.50 and 7.50.
Wraps at \$3.50, 4.50 and 5.00.

Shoes.

Ladies' Button Shoes at \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and 2.50.
School Shoes at 98c, \$1.25 and 1.39.
Men's Shoes at \$1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.

Carpets.

Hemp Carpet at 17, 19 and 25c.
Ingrain Carpet at 25, 39, 49, 58, 65 and 80c.
Oil Cloth at 25, 35 and 50c a yard.
Lace Curtains at 95c, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.50 and 3.00 per pair.

We will Make your Money Go the Farthest.

Chas. T. Johnston
DECATUR, ILL.

151 North Water Street.



SACK SUITS

Are Very Popular This Season.

They can be worn for business or dress. We have them in Single and Double Breasted Black and Blue Cheviots and Mixtures. Price quotations are misleading. Seeing—seeing the goods alone tells the story.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

\$13.00 Reduced

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RANGES

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C. L. GRISWOLD

WE recently purchased a bankrupt Stoves in which were fifty "GOLD COIN" RANGES with reserve that we have been selling at

\$38.00 Each

in connection with the balance "Coin" line, which we have sold ten years. To start the sale of 11 will offer these

Fifty Ranges at \$

FOR CASH ONLY

C. L. GRISWOLD

Iron Clad Shoes

For Boys

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ten years. To start the sale of this stock we
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POWERS,

Sole Agent.

FROM THE ORIENT.

A Great Victory Won by the Jap-
anese Army.

WITH HEAVY LOSSES ON BOTH SIDES.

Brutal Murder of a Scotch Missionary by
Chinese Troops—Japanese Trans-
ports Destined for China—Refu-
gees Attacked by Robbers.

A Great Victory for the Japs.
LONDON, Sept. 17.—A dispatch from
Tokio to the Chronicle says the Japane-
se won a great victory over the Chinese
in a battle fought on August 16. The
Japanese scattered the Chinese cavalry
and a detachment of Japanese
afterwards captured the castle of
Hwan Ju, thirty-five miles from Phong
Yang.

The losses on both sides were heavy,
but details of the battle are not yet
obtainable. The Chinese force at
Phong Yang numbers 15,000. The
Japanese are rapidly approaching that
place, and a great battle is impending.
If the Japanese are victorious they
will march to Moukden, in the prov-
ince of Shang King. This position
will menace Peking.

A dispatch from Yokohama to the
Times says that large detachments of
troops have been sent to reinforce the
army in Korea. Wagers are being made
in Tokio that the Japanese will occupy
Peking or Moukden by the 3d of Novem-
ber.

Brutal Murder of a Scotch Missionary by
Chinese Soldiers En Route to Korea.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—The news
is at hand, per steamer Oceanic, of the
murder of a Scotch missionary named
Rev. James Wylie. A New Chinese
correspondent on the North China
Daily News, writing under date of
August 20 says: "On the 10th inst. at
Liaoyang, fifty miles above this port,
soldiers en route for Korea from Tien-
Tsin attacked Rev. James Wylie, a
member of the Scotch Presbyterian
mission, with knives and sticks.
After cutting him about the head
and face and beating him with sticks
they left him lying on the ground in
the public highway, where his col-
leagues found him unconscious and
bleeding from his wounds. His lower
jaw was broken in two places and he
had several wounds about the head
and face. These wounds, however,
were not so serious as the injuries to
the brain caused by blows and kicks.
He died at 6 o'clock on the morning of
the 16th.

Japanese Transports Destined for China—
Refugees Attacked by Robbers.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—A dispatch from
Shanghai to the Central News says
that twenty-one transports have sailed
from Japan, supposed to be destined
for China.

A formidable band of robbers armed
with rifles made an attack in the vicin-
ity of New Chwang upon a number of
refugees who had been obliged to flee
from Yalu. Mr. McIntosh, a mission-
ary, who was one of the party, nar-
rowly escaped death. The refugees
were without food, and were com-
pelled to eat the flesh of their horses.
The residents of New Chwang are
pleading for the presence of gunboats
to protect them.

SENSATIONAL ALLEGATIONS.

A Prominent Citizen of Tennessee Charged
with Desertion and Bigamy.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 16.—A bill
was yesterday filed in the chancery
court by Sarah Davis making sensa-
tional allegations against Evan J.
Davis, president of the East Tennessee
Coal and Mining Co. Davis is a promi-
nent member of the Welsh church and
a highly respected citizen. He came
to Knoxville some twenty years ago
and married an estimable young lady
by whom he has had three children.
In the bill the woman calling herself
Sarah Davis sets forth that she is
Davis' legal wife, they having been
married in 1864. She charges that
Davis became involved in a seduction
case and fled to America. Until a
short time ago she believed him to be
dead, when she finally learned of his
whereabouts.

SEVEN PERSONS BADLY BURNED

By the Explosion of Oil Tanks on a Rail-
road in Wisconsin.

Hudson, Wis., Sept. 16.—Three oil
cars on the Omaha road caught fire
near Robert's station, yesterday morn-
ing, and were detached with the ca-
boose from the freight train. Through
passengers were transferred from one
train to another during the fire. At 11
a. m. one tank exploded, throwing the
oil and tank hundreds of feet into the
air. Seven people who were spectators
were badly if not fatally burned. Doc-
tors from here are in attendance. A
train has taken the injured to St. Paul.
The clothing was burned off of sev-
eral of the injured passengers. Among
the injured was John Belwick, of Min-
neapolis, whose back, hands and face
are in a bad condition.

THE KERRVILLE LYNCHERS.

Thirteen of Them Under Indictment, and
Many of Them in Jail.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 16.—Thirteen
men are under indictment for the
lynching of the six negroes near Kerr-
ville two weeks ago, and the following
of them are in jail: Frank H. Berry,
of Rosemark, a deputy under Sheriff
McCarver; William Thompson, of Kerr-
ville, once a deputy under Sheriff Mc-
Lendon; Frank Tucker, a young farm-
er, and James Walker, son of the lady
who keeps the hotel at Kerrville, were
arrested yesterday on indictments re-
turned Tuesday.

Came to Court Over the Indian Posses-
sion.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 16.—It is told
on the responsibility of a railroad
agent that Madge Pollard reached this
city yesterday to gloss over the defeat
of Breckinridge.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTICES

—A costly conflagration occurred in
Scranton, Pa., Saturday.

—Fifteen persons were injured in a
runaway at a funeral at Irondale, Pa.
—The entire southern squadron of the
Chinese navy has been ordered north.

—On Saturday the banks of New
York held \$98,938,700 in excess of the re-
quirements of the 35-per-cent. rule.

—The enlistment of Europeans in the
Chinese army has been stopped. Sev-
eral British customs officers, who had
enlisted, have returned to their for-
mer duties.

—The Peary main and auxiliary ex-
peditions, with all well on board, ar-
rived at St. Johns, N. F., on Saturday,
from Falcon Harbor, which they left
August 20. Peary, Lee and Heussen
will remain another year.

—Six of the survivors of the Chinese
troop-ship Chean, which was wrecked
at Cheung while en route to Formosa
with 1,400 soldiers on board, have ar-
rived at Shang-Hai. They report that
200 of the persons on board the Chean
were drowned.

—It is said that the wage victory
achieved by the New York & Cleveland
Gas Coal Co. in the return of their
striking employees at a rate of fourteen
cents below the district price means
the reopening of the wage dispute in
the Pittsburgh coal district.

—The weekly statement of the New
York associated banks issued Saturday
shows the following changes: Re-
serve, decrease, \$1,980,575; loans, in-
crease, \$3,385,700; specie, increase, \$570,
400; legal tenders, decrease, \$1,846,400;
deposits, increase, \$2,854,300; circula-
tion, increase, \$203,100

TWO SENSATIONAL SUITS.

A Woman Sued for Divorce Retaliates by a
Suit for Slander—Racy Develop-
ments Promised.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Sept. 17.—A sensa-
tional divorce suit followed by a \$50,-
000 slander suit, was filed in the courts
here Saturday. Mrs. Flora Jenkins,
wife of Joseph L. Jenkins, of Sherrill,
Ark., in her suit for slander and for
alienating her husband's affections,
against Phillip N. Vaughne, a wealthy
planter and merchant and uncle of
Jenkins, also living at Sherrill, alleges
that ever since their marriage in 1883,
Vaughne, owing to the fact that he
could not convert her to the Catholic
religion by undue influence exerted
over his nephew, attempted to part
the happy couple, in which effort he
then succeeded by the use of dispar-
aging remarks about the plaintiff to
her husband, culminating in his slan-
derous statement made in 1894 that she
was extremely intimate with a physi-
cian, Dr. C. M. McIntosh.

The plaintiff states that during her
husband's absence at Hot Springs this
summer, urged by her invitation, she
had passed the nights at Mrs. McIn-
tosh's house, and that Dr. McIntosh
had never had any other relations
with her but those of neighbor and
family physician.

Jenkins Saturday afternoon filed an
application for divorce from his wife
in the chancery court here, and deposi-
tions in the case are being taken.
Both suits will be bitterly contested,
and the trial promises to be a very
and is exciting public interest in no small
degree.

Baseball.

The following games were played
Saturday:

At Chicago—Chicago, 8; Brook-
lyn, 3.
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 11;
Washingtons, 8. 2 4
At Cleveland—Bostons, 7; Cleve-
lands, 2.
At St. Louis—New Yorks, 7; St.
Louis, 3.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

At Cincinnati—First Game—Balti-
mores, 14; Cincinnati, 2. Second
Game—Cincinnati, 4; Baltimore, 3.
At Chicago—Chicago, 18; Brook-
lyn, 5.
At Louisville—Washingtons, 7; Louis-
ville, 6.

Elevated to the Rank of Bishop.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 17.—Rev.
Father Hurth, for ten years president
of St. Edward's college, Austin, Tex.,
was yesterday elevated to the rank of
bishop at Notre Dame university, with
imposing services, conducted by Bishop
Rademacher, of Fort Wayne; Bishop
Schwebach, of La Crosse, Wis., and
Bishop Foley, of Detroit. The cere-
monies brought together dignitaries of
the Catholic church from all parts of
the country. Bishop Hurth will be
stationed in Bengal, India.

Sad Accident to a Prominent Bicyclist.

KENDALLVILLE, Ind., Sept. 16.—Walter
Walling, while riding a bicycle last
evening, collided with a buggy, the
bicycle passing between the front
wheel and the thighs. The right handle
bar entered Walling's abdomen, tear-
ing the flesh so that the bowels pro-
truded. Walling was the son of D. C.
Walling, president of the Flint & Walling
Manufacturing Co., and was a
prominent bicyclist.

The Work of a Fiend.

GLEN'S FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 17.—
Leonard Blodgett, aged 55 years, Sat-
urday night shot Edward Whittemore,
aged 68, Mrs. Whittemore, aged 57, and
then stabbed Miss Whittemore, aged
15, at a place ten miles south of here.
Blodgett who was frustrated in an at-
tempt to outrage the girl, escaped to
the mountains.

The King of Siam Improving.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—The
steamer Oceanic, which arrived yester-
day, brings news that the king of
Siam continues to make progress to-
ward recovery, and is now able to
take walking exercise in his apart-
ments.

Died of Cholera.

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 16.—Capt. W.
B. Bridgman, of the United States
man-of-war Baltimore, died yesterday
of Asiatic cholera, contracted recently
in China.

Arcade Office Building Directory,

A FIRST-CLASS ELEVATOR CARRIES PASSENGERS
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State Sentinel,	703, 704 and 705
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Telephone Office,	33, 34 and 35
Walter Bros., Real Estate,	32
Dr. L. H. Clark,	30
Dr. W. Akins,	24 and 25
Drs. Abel & Jones,	22 and 23
Dr. H. M. Wood,	20 and 21
Hunter Bros., Real Estate,	517 and 518
A. H. Humphrey, Architect,	700 and 701
A. F. Smith, Attorney,	517
Dr. J. D. Wheeler,	46, 47 and 48.

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Be Cured Like Thousands of Others by Drs. Abel & Jones.

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Great numbers of people daily suffer
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mucous membrane, the nose, throat, eyes,
ears, head, lungs, stomach, liver, bowels,
kidneys and bladder are subject to the
light of Catarrh. Read the following
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send them to Dr. Abel & Jones with
your symptoms marked out:

Catarrh of Head and Throat

Is the most prevalent form, QUICKLY
CURED BY DRs. ABEL & JONES.

Have you Catarrh?
Is your breath foul?
Is your voice husky?
Do you spit up slime?
Do you ache all over?
Do you snore at night?
Do you breathe through your mouth?
Does your nose discharge?
Does your nose bleed easily?
Is there tickling in your throat?
Do crusts form in your nose?
Is your nose sore and tender?
Do you sneeze a great deal?
Do you sneeze more toward night?
Does your nose itch and burn?
Is there pain in front of your head?
Is there pain across the eyes?
Is there pain in back of your head?
Is your sense of smell leaving you?
Do you hawk to clear your throat?
Is there a dropping in the throat?
Do you sleep with your mouth open?
Does your nose stop up toward night?

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When catarrh of the head and throat
is left unchecked it extends down the
windpipe into the bronchial tubes and
after awhile attacks the lungs. Speedy
and inexpensive cure by the Abel &
Jones system.

Have you a cough?
Are you losing flesh?
Do you cough at night?
Have you pain in side?
Do you take cold easily?
Is your appetite variable?
Have you stitches in side?
Do you cough until you gag?
Are you low-spirited at times?
Do you raise frothy material?
Do you spit up yellow matter?

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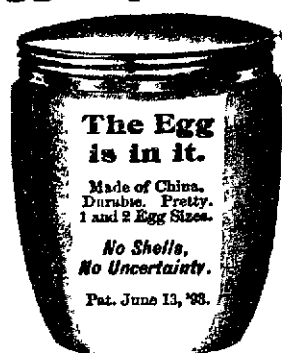
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BREAK THE EGG into the cup, screw on the cover and boil the egg in this China cup instead of the shell, and serve the egg in the same China cup.

Soft Boiled Eggs for Breakfast Our Way.

Come in, we will show you how, with Premier Egg Cups.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.
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Daily Arriving.

Our new stock of new fall goods is daily arriving and the styles are the most attractive that we have ever seen. We will have a stock larger than is usually carried in Decatur and we consequently have everything to select from and everything that you can want in the way of different styles and varieties. We have plenty of sizes, widths, etc. In fact, it don't matter what you want in the way of footwear, we have it. We have been determined that we would carry everything to please the people and now we know that our efforts have been successful. We want you to come and inspect our goods. If there is anything that you want in the line of foot wear we know we can sell you.

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B. F. BOBO, Manager.

Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.

Daily Republican

No improvement that you can make (for the money) will add so much to the appearance of your home as painting it.

King & Hubbard, the druggists, have the best mixed paints in all colors; also everything in the paint and varnish line.

MONDAY, SEPT. 17, 1894.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Special communication of Union Lodge No. 312, A. F. and A. M. (this Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for work. Masons Lodge No. 8 and visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of J. H. COLVER, W. M. J. S. McCLELLAND, Sec.

LOCAL NEWS.

TRY Irwin's Perfect tooth powder.
HEAR John J. Ingalls Thursday night.
CHILDREN'S Laxative Syrup at Irwin's.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

GOV. ALTGELD is reported seriously ill in New York.

ICE cream for sale by the quart or gallon at Irwin's.

HAIR brushes and combs cheap at Irwin's Drug store.

THERE will be a wedding in the near future on South Main street!

THE office of Dr. Cass Chenoweth in Chicago is at 3100 State street.

THE city force was busy to day taking the rubbish off the principal streets.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THE Dresbach meat market has been purchased by Jacob Blenz for \$320.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

ON Sunday Rev. Mary Berkestresser, of Buda, occupied the pulpit at the Church of God.

DR. O. T. EDDY, Dentist, Room 10, Columbia block, over post office. July 30-3mo

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

SOCIAL hop this evening at the hall of Coeur de Leon Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

TO-DAY a marriage license was granted by V. W. Draper and Miss S. O. Chance, both of Decatur.

TO-NIGHT an official meeting of the church board will be held at the U. B. house of worship.

GO to the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6-d&wtf

TUESDAY the annual session of the Free Methodist conference will begin at the old Presbyterian church.

CALL at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's and get your tickets for the Ingalls lecture Thursday night. Greatest event of the season.

THIS afternoon the trustees of the Greenville Free Methodist College held a business meeting at the church on Prairie avenue.

WHEN children are nervous, irritable or restless at night give Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer to ward off other serious nerve diseases. Free samples, \$1 bottles of C. H. Dawson.

THE teas sold at C. J. Munson's, 403 North Main street, made many friends and new customers last week. He has a whole store full of good things to show you this week and you can't help being pleased.

THE I. D. & W. will sell a \$3.30 round trip to Indianapolis Monday night and Tuesday morning. The fare will include a ticket to the Indiana State fair and to the "Last Days of Pompeii."

C. J. MUNSON, 403 North Main street, invites your attention to his fine and carefully selected line of family groceries. Everything pure and of the best at the lowest cash prices.

MISS LOU BEAR, who has just returned from Chicago, where she has been receiving instruction in voice culture under Mr. B. Bicknell Young, will receive pupils at No. 1046 N. College st. 1d*

THE funeral of Bert Elliott took place this afternoon at Forsyth, the Good Templars being in charge of the service. Bert was 20 years of age and died of consumption.

THE Danville board of supervisors refused to allow the claims of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois, Big Four and Wabash for property destroyed in the county during the strike. The railroads were bringing an action against the county.

HUNDREDS of tickets are being sold by the Tabernacle people for the great Ingalls lecture Thursday night. The best class of citizens are the purchasers. The event promises to be one of unusual interest. Curtis & Bro. have tickets on sale. Admission 50 cents.

IN closing a two column article on the Springer-Smith joint debate at Lincoln the Courier said: "Several crowded forward to congratulate Springer, but it was conceded that Mr. Smith had the best of the argument throughout. So all Springer could do was to adroitly dodge."

A number of the members of the Woman's Club met Saturday to organize a literary and art section. These de-

sired to become charter members of the section agreed that the meeting should be on Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Thursday of this week the officers of the new section will be elected.

RESIDENTS on North Edward street from Eldorado to Pugh street are considerably exercised just now over the proposition of the council to pave the street forty feet wide. Many of the property owners have signed a petition which will be presented to-night asking that the width of the street be 36 feet, which will leave only 12 feet on each side for sidewalk and boulevard. It is held that 36 feet will be fully wide enough for the street.

SATURDAY night while coming down stairs Miss Annie Minnier, a domestic in the home of Rev. W. H. Penhalligon, slipped and fell, suffering the fracture of her right wrist. The fracture is quite serious and it will be some time before her arm will be fit for service. Dr. Bain Walston dressed the injury.

FIVE acres of ground are fully occupied by the buildings, scenery, large stage, lake, Mt. Vesuvius, and the grand stand of Pain's "Last Days of Pompeii," at Springfield, Ill., State Fair grounds, Sept. 24-29. Fire-works worth \$1,000 are burned each night of the performance.

EARLE BARTHOLOMEW, who attended Belmont School at Belmont, Cal., has been promoted to the rank of second lieutenant of the school cadets. He formerly held the rank of corporal. Earle has also been made business manager of "The Cadet," the school paper.

THE best entertainment so far this season is promised at the Grand to-night. Miss Marie Jansen in "Miss Dynamite."

TAKE dinner Tuesday and Wednesday with the ladies of the W. C. T. U. in the new Arcade building. Price 25c.—17-32.

DON'T miss seeing Marie Jansen at the Grand to-night.

ANOTHER Entertainment To-Night. Miss Julia F. Lee, who so delighted a cultured audience at the Tabernacle Saturday evening, has been engaged by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church to give a second entertainment at the same place to-night. She will appear in a complete change of program and costume. Among the many choice selections she will render will be the Potpourri scene from Romeo and Juliet, with which she has won golden opinion in other cities. "How We Hunted a Mouse" will provoke a roar of laughter, and "The Second Trial" will touch the hearts of all present. Miss Lee is a thorough artist in her line, worthy of rank with the best elocutionists before the public. She should be greeted by a large audience this evening. The price of admission has been placed at 15 cents. No tickets. Pay your admission at the door. The entertainment begins promptly at 8 o'clock.

SOCIETY on the Diamond. This afternoon the social clubs, of Decatur and Springfield are playing ball for the charity fund at the park. Game is to be called at 3:30, and the players are:

SPRINGFIELD. POSITIONS. DECATUR.
F. Hatch.....Pitcher.....Maris
S. Cavan.....Catcher.....Patterson
J. Smith.....First Base.....Smith
Stebbins.....Second Base.....Walton
Todd.....Third Base.....Spalding
Pierson.....Short Stop.....Truax
Mayo.....Left Field.....Hubbard
P. Hatch.....Center Field.....McCrider
Walker.....Right Field.....Hays
Orendorf, sub.

This evening there will be a dance at Knight of Pythias hall.

ABDUCTION. George Kerr, a young man of Bloomington, was arrested Saturday night on the charge of abducting Miss Ella Phares, a 15-year-old girl of Clinton, Ill. He brought her to Bloomington last week and Saturday took out a license to marry her, swearing falsely as to her age. When arrested Kerr disclaimed knowing anything as to the whereabouts of the girl, but subsequently told where she was. The girl was found and taken to her home by the marshal of Clinton.

RESULT of a Quarrel. LINCOLN, Ill., Sept. 16.—This evening Alonzo Walker shot and fatally wounded David Roebottom. They became involved in a quarrel Saturday evening at the tile works of the Lincoln Coal company and met this evening to settle it, Roebottom being accompanied by a crowd. Upon committing the crime Walker fled and is now being pursued by officers across the country toward Mason City.

DEATH of an Infant. Dorothy, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Hildebrandt, died Saturday evening, Sept. 16, at 8:30 o'clock, at the family home on Cleveland avenue in Riverside Place, aged three months and fourteen days.

THE funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 from the residence in Riverside Place, Rev. W. H. Penhalligon officiating.

INDIANA State Fair. On account of the Indiana State Fair, to be held at Indianapolis, Ind., the Vandavia Line will sell excursion tickets Sept. 18th and 19th, good returning Sept. 20th, at one cent per mile. For time of trains and other information call on W. L. Smith, Union Depot Ticket Agent.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

WILL BE A GO.

Robert J. and Joe Patchen, Matched.

DAVENPORT, Ia., Sept. 16.—Through the efforts of the Davenport Mile-Track Association, which has been in telegraphic communication with Col. Taylor and Mr. Hamlin for several days, Robert J. and Joe Patchen have been matched for another best three in five hunt race to take place here Sept. 27. A purse of \$4500 is offered for the match, and the owners of the horses have telegraphed their acceptance. The winner will receive two-thirds and the loser one-third of the purse. Additional interest will attach to the race on account of Joe Patchen being upon his home track, where he gave private exhibitions of speed before going on the circuit that were greater than any he has given since.

BOTH USED A GUN.

Suicides Near Decatur Growing Out of Love Affairs.

PANA, Ill., Sept. 16.—Conrad Engweiler, a prominent and prosperous business man, was found dead in his office, in the rear of his residence, in this city, this morning by his wife. He was sitting on the floor, leaning his back against some barrels, with a revolver loose in his right hand and a bullet hole in his right temple. Jealousy is the alleged cause. He was a native of Switzerland, a member of Armonia Lodge No. 610, I. O. O. F., and the Dreibund, carrying a life insurance policy in the latter for \$1000, and leaves a widow and a 9-year-old daughter.

WINDSOR, Ill., Sept. 16.—Last evening Miss Bertha Keller, a prominent young lady, committed suicide by shooting herself. Miss Keller was a brunette, very beautiful, and 19 years of age. The cause of her act was a love affair. She had a quarrel about ten days ago with a young man who had been paying his attentions to her for more than five years. She had frequently threatened to shoot herself when she was despondent.

County Court Record.

IN the county court to-day the last will of James Delaney, of Niantic, executed August 8, 1894, witnessed by J. P. Faris and H. Beall, was filed for probate. John Delaney is the executor, bond \$3,000, with W. L. Delaney, John A. Hagen and Hileary Beall as sureties. The estate consists of lands in Macon county, horses, cattle, hogs, grain and farming implements; the personal property is worth \$3,000. Eighty acres of land in 13, 16, 1 west is given to the widow for life, after her death to be divided between John S. Michael, James and Lawrence Delaney, and Ann Hagen and Maggie Muldoon. To Patrick, Thomas and Jerry Delaney is given \$100 each. After payment of all debts out of personal property, one-half of remainder is to go to the widow, the other half to John S. and James Delaney. To John S. Delaney is given 80 acres in 18, 16, 1 west; to Michael Delaney 80 acres in 18, 16, 1 east; to James Delaney 95 acres in 18, 16, 1 east; to Lawrence Delaney 80 acres in 18, 16, 1 east, and it is further stipulated that two years after death of testator, John S. Michael, Lawrence and James Delaney shall pay to Ann Hagen \$1,000 and Maggie Muldoon \$1,500.

SARAH A. Wix was appointed administratrix of the estate of William Wix; bond \$2,000; sureties, Thomas Watts and Hiram Johnson.

CECELIA Zeigler was appointed guardian of Ira L. Zeigler, minor heir of Chris. B. Zeigler; bond \$3,000; sureties, C. Zeigler and F. C. Goffinet.

FACTS IN FEW WORDS.

OHIO has 11,400 saloons.
JAPAN has 877 Christian churches.
TELEPHONES employ 10,000 Americans.

MINNESOTA has a dairy school for women.
THE president of Chili gets \$15,000 a year.

CERTAIN species of ants make slaves of others.
PHOTOGRAPHS have been taken 500 feet under water.

PAGANINI was called the Devil Fiddler from his marvelous skill.
A ROCKING-CHAIR that is actuated by electricity is a recent invention.

HAMLET was called the Saxon giant from his nationality and his size.
HAIR is very strong. A single hair will bear a weight of 1,150 grains.

A SCIENTIFIC exploring expedition to Madagascar will soon leave London.
THE Catholic Total Abstinence members of the United States has 37,350 members.

THE membership of the Christian churches in Japan numbers nearly 38,000.
IT is claimed that there are about 125,000 colored Catholics in the United States.

A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

THE rock of Gibraltar resembles in outline a lion in a resting position.
THE mean annual temperature of the Arctic region is below thirty degrees Fahrenheit.

A HUMMING bird was said to have been stung to death by a bee at Oshkosh, Wis., recently.
THE starfish has no spine, but the whole of its under-sides is studded with the sense of smell.

THE harness shop of John Hildebrandt, of Madison, was ordered to pay \$500 and \$1000 to the state.

NAMED IT ENTERPRISE.

The New School House in Wheatland Township and How It Was Christened.

THE Walnut Grove school district in Wheatland township was divided last spring forming a new district out of the north part of the old district. The new district built a new school house one quarter of a mile west of John Ward's.

THE people of this district proposed to have a flag-staff and flag at the new school house and the staff was put on as part of the building. It was decided to hold a festival last Saturday night at the school house to raise funds to buy a flag. The day being lowering and threatening rain the place for holding the festival was changed from the school house to Ward's, who has a fine lawn, a good residence and barn. The barn has two halls 14x40 feet which made a splendid place to meet and promenade. Canvas was stretched on the lawn for use of refreshment stands. There was a good turn out and a splendid social time and the district succeeded in netting \$81.73 as the result of the festival.

THE exciting feature was that previously, four young ladies, Daisy Hutchinson, Belle Reed, Daisy Fletcher and Maude Ward, were selected as representatives to name the new school house. In the order named they represented the following names: Rockford, Columbia, Eureka and Enterprise. The plan was to select by vote, at 5 cents a vote, the young lady who should name the new school house. This created a great deal of interest on the part of the friends of the girls, and it was not confined to the district. Each young lady had her friends there to back her and the result was the district out of this vote got \$66.75, as follows:

Rockford—25 votes.....\$ 25
Columbia—75 votes..... 3 75
Eureka—506 votes..... 25 40
Enterprise—727 votes..... 36 35

Total.....\$66.75

THE house will therefore be named Enterprise, and that name and the American flag will be placed on the school house. The net amount received from refreshments was \$14.98. The district will thus have plenty of money to buy a flag, and the remainder of the fund will be used to buy a library. Everybody had a good time, and all went home well pleased with the events of the day and the new schoolhouse.

Sales of Real Estate.

J. G. HARVEY to J. L. Abrams, lot 14 in block 6 in Carver's addition to Decatur; \$2,500.

W. M. LEWIS to D. E. Brooks, lot 25 in block 6 in Higgins' addition to Decatur; \$1,700.

DAVID S. Hall to Georgia Grout, thirty-five feet off of the west side of lot 3 in block 7 of Western addition to Decatur; \$2,000.

New Harness Shop.

C. C. BEAR, late of the J. G. Starr harness retail store on Lincoln square, has opened a harness shop on East Wood street at the rear of Imboden Bros., where he would be glad to see his old friends and welcome many new ones. dmo

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., September 17, 1894.
THE REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stock, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

WHEAT CLOSURE.
Sept., wheat, 54 1/2; Dec., 54 1/2; May, 61 1/2.
CORN CLOSURE.
Sept., corn 54 1/2; Oct., 54 1/2; Dec., 52 1/2; May, 53 1/2.

OATS CLOSURE.
Sept., 30 1/2; Oct., 30 1/2; May, 35 1/2.
PROVISIONS CLOSURE.
Pork—Sept., \$14.00; Jan., 5.
Lard—Sept., \$8.00; Oct., \$8.00.
Ribs—Sept., \$7.12 1/2; Jan., \$7.12 1/2.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CORN LOTS.
Wheat—248; Estimated, 270; Last year, 340.
Corn—574; Estimated, 600; Last year, 1224.
Oats—302; Estimated, 270; Last year, 557.

NOTICES FOR TO-MORROW.
Wheat, 60; Corn, 54; Oats, 30.
Hog receipts, 25,000; estimated, 24,000; Light, \$5.25 @ 15; Mixed, \$5.20 @ 15; heavy, \$5.20 @ 15.
\$5.25; rough, \$5.20 @ 15. Estimated for to-morrow, 14,000.
Cattle receipts 14,000. Market steady.
Minneapolis and Duluth got 1072 cars of wheat to-day against 1203 last year.

THE total clearances of wheat were 50,000 bu. Flour 35,000 bbls.
THE total clearances of corn were 28,000 bushels.

VARIABLE SUPPLY.
Wheat—Increase..... 45,000
Corn—Increase..... 450,000
Oats—Increase..... 345,000

LONDON, 1 p. m. 25—OFF SOOTH, wheat, but steady; no continental demand; maize nothing offering. On passage, Wheat very quiet; Corn rather easier.

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat quiet at opening; less disposition to buy, corn same.

LIVERPOOL, 1:30 p. m.—Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn easy demand moderate.

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—DR.

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Have sold lots of those \$15.00 and for \$10.00 and \$12.00. Knocks them all. Boys' Suits \$1.00, worth \$1.50, good Boys' Knee Pants, well made, 25c. Just received, a big lot of men's fall house which we can sell 25 per cent. cheaper than house will ask for them.

Our Fall Suits are coming in and cheaper than you ever saw them.

Men's Balbriggan Underwear for 25c. Men's Hose, 2 pairs for 25c, worth 25c. Our own make of negligee and shirts are as good as the best and the right. Protect home labor and buy all of us.

Manilla Hats for \$1.00, worth \$1.50. Neckwear, 3 for 25c, worth 25c each.

Pants Made to Order for \$5.00 and Them All. Come and see.

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While a small portion of our goods were damaged by fall goods were not injured in the least, and we are just that we will not.

Our \$15 Suit is a full sized bed room suit and is the best selling suit we ever had. Nearly a car load of them sold.

Our \$18 Suit is the best selling suit we ever had. Nearly a car load of them sold.

Our \$25 Polished Oak Suit will surprise you. If you need a bed room suit we can fit you out.

A 5 piece Oak Frame Tapestry covered Parlor Suit for \$75.00. See that \$75.00 Suit in our window.

A few of our 48 x 48 inch quarter sawed oak, polished tables left, at \$7. See our special design \$20 side board, any kind, from the cheapest to the best, remember that select from.

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